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OF

Births, Deaths, and Marriages

IN THE

Principal Towns of Scotland

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No. 1. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 7, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 7th January 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,488,900, the births of 866 living children, the deaths of 984 persons, and 1134 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 930. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·2 per thousand, the marriage-rate 23·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 19·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·8 less than in the previous week, and 3·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 6·2 more than in the previous week, but 1·1 below the average. The death-rate is 1·2 less than in the previous week, but 1·8 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 27·1 in Kilmarnock and 25·4 in Aberdeen, to 13·0 in Kirkcaldy and 14·7 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (24·3), in Falkirk (24·0), in Paisley (21·9), in Motherwell and Wishaw (19·8), and in Clydebank (19·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 128, and are 25 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·7 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 3 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 20 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 88 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 4 more, from measles 3 more, from other epidemic diseases 2 more, from typhoid fever 1 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, and from influenza 32 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 254, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 5·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, but is 1·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 133, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 347. The former are 6 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 5 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 34, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·2, being 1°·0 below that for the previous week, and 0°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·71 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JANUARY 7, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1932.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,106,500	406	538	437	35	7	409	19·3	2·7	76	124	0	0	3	13	3	36	3	0	143	3	13	53·0	34·7	42·3	1·58	8·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	445,300	129	176	174	21	5	158	18·6	2·3	13	74	1	0	0	3	1	14	0	1	30	3	5	54·0	34·0	42·6	1·56	19·1	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,300	60	117	63	3	0	60	17·7	0·6	9	27	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	14	0	5	54·5	34·3	41·2	0·78	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	168,500	60	48	89	8	1	82	25·4	5·3	7	35	0	3	0	0	1	13	0	0	19	0	2	48·0	35·0	42·0	1·06	15·1	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	20	35	36	1	2	37	21·9	4·1	5	14	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	2	9	0	1	53·2	35·0	43·6	2·15	8·7	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,000	25	10	27	3	2	26	17·0	1·3	0	11	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	53·9	36·0	42·7	3·68	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	26	36	20	0	5	25	19·8	4·0	5	8	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	7	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	47,800	11	18	8	0	10	18	19·7	1·1	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	8	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,200	22	26	10	1	2	11	13·0	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,900	15	28	15	1	1	15	17·9	6·0	3	4	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	19	17	21	2	1	20	27·1	5·4	3	11	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,700	24	14	17	0	1	18	24·3	2·7	3	9	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	5	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	36,600	12	11	16	5	0	11	15·7	1·4	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	36,900	12	22	23	6	0	17	24·0	1·4	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	35,400	12	24	11	1	0	10	14·7	1·5	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,000	13	14	17	4	0	13	19·4	3·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	52·0	28·0	40·9	1·15	14·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Jan. 7, 1933,	2,488,900	866	1134	984	91	37	930	19·5	2·7	133	347	1	3	5	20	5	88	3	3	254	7	34	54·5	28·0	42·2	1·71	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Dec. 31, 1932,	2,488,900	951	840	1035	83	32	984	20·7	3·2	127	342	0	0	4	16	8	120	4	1	274	12	40	52·0	24·0	43·2	0·28	...	
Jan. 9, 1932,	2,453,319	1128	926	773	98	35	710	14·9	0·8	88	298	0	19	4	1	6	3	2	3	116	11	28	55·7	27·0	43·1	1·34	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 2. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 14th January 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,488,900, the births of 890 living children, the deaths of 1005 persons, and 243 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 947. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 19·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 more than in the previous week, but 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 18·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·1 below the average. The death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, and 2·9 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 38·9 in Perth and 26·7 in Aberdeen, to 10·0 in Ayr and 12·0 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (25·7), in Motherwell and Wishaw (25·4), in Kilmarnock (23·1), in Falkirk (22·6), in Kirkcaldy (22·5), in Dundee (21·5), in Greenock (20·9), and in Dunfermline (20·6).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 149, and are 21 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·1 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 19 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 111 from influenza, 7 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 7 from other epidemic diseases, of which 5 were ascribed to erysipelas, 1 to acute poliomyelitis, and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 23 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 4 more, and from other epidemic diseases 4 more, but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, from measles 2 fewer, from diphtheria 2 fewer, and from scarlet fever 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 215, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and is 0·6 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 136, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 331. The former are 3 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 16 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·1, being 2°·1 below that for the previous week, and 2°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·84 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1932.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,106,500	433	126	412	37	10	385	18·2	2·5	75	124	0	0	1	10	2	31	4	4	93	6	9	52·2	27·8	40·6	1·00	10·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	445,300	130	48	184	23	3	164	19·3	3·6	10	59	0	0	0	2	0	25	1	3	27	2	3	54·0	30·0	42·1	0·58	25·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,300	51	7	77	5	1	73	21·5	2·7	10	22	0	0	0	1	1	6	1	0	13	1	4	52·7	24·0	39·0	0·35	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	168,500	69	17	89	6	3	86	26·7	6·5	7	44	0	1	0	2	0	18	0	0	20	0	1	55·0	26·0	38·6	0·24	17·9	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	44	4	32	2	0	30	17·8	3·0	7	9	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	6	0	0	52·0	26·6	41·3	1·16	11·8	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,000	32	1	31	0	1	32	20·9	2·6	7	11	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	12	1	0	53·9	29·0	41·1	2·23	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	23	4	29	1	4	32	25·4	2·4	4	14	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	7	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	47,800	15	3	7	0	4	11	12·0	1·1	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,200	7	2	20	1	0	19	22·5	3·6	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,900	13	3	15	0	1	16	19·1	1·2	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	11	1	18	2	1	17	23·1	4·1	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	4	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,700	14	2	19	0	0	19	25·7	2·7	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	8	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	36,600	15	3	9	2	0	7	10·0	1·4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	36,900	14	13	19	4	1	16	22·6	5·7	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	3	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	35,400	8	5	14	0	0	14	20·6	1·5	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,000	11	4	30	4	0	26	38·9	12·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	6	0	0	53·0	21·0	37·9	0·31	13·9	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Jan. 14, 1933,	2,488,900	890	243	1005	87	29	947	19·9	3·1	136	331	0	1	1	19	3	111	7	7	215	11	21	55·0	21·0	40·1	0·84	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Jan. 7, 1933,	2,488,900	866	1134	984	91	37	930	19·5	2·7	133	347	1	3	5	20	5	88	3	3	254	7	34	54·5	28·0	42·2	1·71	...	
Jan. 16, 1932,	2,488,900	923	223	759	76	41	724	15·2	1·1	94	271	0	23	4	3	5	7	4	4	112	8	20	55·0	26·0	43·0	1·49	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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No. 3. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 21st January 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,488,900, the births of 900 living children, the deaths of 1023 persons, and 182 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 970. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 3·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 20·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 1·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·6 below the average. The death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and 1·5 above the average. or 4·7 above the average if the abnormal death-rate of 31·5 in the corresponding week of 1929 be excluded.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 40·4 in Perth and 30·4 in Dundee, to 10·9 in Clydebank and 11·8 in Paisley. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (28·3), in Aberdeen (27·0), in Greenock (25·5), in Kirkcaldy (23·7), in Motherwell and Wishaw (22·2), and in Edinburgh (20·5).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 145, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·0 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 23 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, 108 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from encephalitis lethargica. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 4 more, from diphtheria 3 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 2 fewer, from influenza 3 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 6 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 215, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·5 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·5 below the average, or if the very high rate of 11·7 in the corresponding week of 1929 be excluded it is 1·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 132, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 376. The former are 4 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 45 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 18, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 32°·2, being 7°·9 below that for the previous week, and 14°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·13 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1932.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,106,500	424	75	410	37	8	381	18·0	2·0	58	132	0	0	1	9	2	27	3	1	87	9	8	39·2	27·2	32·2	0·03	3·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	445,300	138	26	192	21	4	175	20·5	3·1	19	74	0	0	0	4	2	19	1	0	28	2	2	46·0	26·0	33·4	0·07	8·1	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,300	65	15	102	1	2	103	30·4	4·1	9	51	0	0	1	0	0	13	0	0	27	1	3	46·0	22·7	32·4	0·23	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	168,500	59	18	94	11	4	87	27·0	3·7	15	33	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	22	1	2	42·0	22·0	34·4	0·45	1·0	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	30	7	23	3	0	20	11·8	1·8	3	8	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	1	1	46·7	24·9	31·5	0·02	7·3	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,000	30	7	38	1	2	39	25·5	7·2	5	12	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	9	0	1	41·3	25·9	33·2	0·03	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	34	3	24	0	4	28	22·2	6·3	6	7	0	0	0	2	0	6	0	0	7	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	47,800	13	1	4	0	6	10	10·9	1·1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,200	16	4	17	0	3	20	23·7	9·5	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	6	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,900	20	6	17	1	1	17	20·3	4·8	4	6	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	16	3	14	2	0	12	16·3	2·7	2	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,700	17	1	7	0	2	9	12·2	2·7	3	5	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	36,600	9	2	11	4	2	9	12·9	1·4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	36,900	11	3	22	2	0	20	28·3	4·2	2	7	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	35,400	7	6	15	2	0	13	19·2	2·9	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,000	11	5	33	7	1	27	40·4	7·5	1	13	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	9	0	0	42·0	15·0	28·4	0·09	6·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Jan. 21, 1933,	2,488,900	900	182	1023	92	39	970	20·4	3·0	132	376	0	0	2	23	6	108	5	1	215	15	18	46·7	15·0	32·2	0·13	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Jan. 14, 1933,	2,488,900	890	243	1005	87	29	947	19·9	3·1	136	331	0	1	1	19	3	111	7	7	215	11	21	55·0	21·0	40·1	0·84	...	
Jan. 23, 1932,	2,488,900	967	227	739	74	39	704	14·8	1·2	100	261	0	25	1	3	10	10	3	3	111	14	29	57·0	29·0	46·2	0·60	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 4. Week ending SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 28th January 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,488,900, the births of 839 living children, the deaths of 1043 persons, and 273 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 997. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 20·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 3·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·9 more than in the previous week, and 0·9 above the average. The death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average, or 5·3 above if the abnormal rate of 38·4 in 1929 be excluded.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 36·0 in Dundee, and 32·0 in Greenock, to 14·3 in Ayr and 14·9 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (31·0), in Kirkcaldy (28·4), in Perth (28·4), in Falkirk (24·0), in Paisley (21·9), in Coatbridge (21·5), and in Aberdeen (21·1).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 129, and are 16 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 28 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 84 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 3 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 5 more, from other epidemic diseases 5 more, and from scarlet fever 2 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer, and from influenza 24 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 224, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but is 0·8 below the average, or 1·7 above if the abnormal rate of 15·4 in 1929 be excluded.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 110, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 424. The former are 22 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 48 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 33, and are 15 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 31°·3, being 0°·9 below that for the previous week, and 9°·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·00 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1932.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,106,500	398	126	406	40	13	379	17·9	1·6	45	146	0	0	2	15	1	11	2	3	95	3	12	37·8	23·2	32·4	0·00	0·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	445,300	123	53	179	18	7	168	19·7	2·7	10	88	0	0	0	4	0	17	1	1	33	0	6	43·0	24·0	32·9	0·00	23·4	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,300	58	17	128	8	2	122	36·0	8·5	12	61	0	0	0	2	1	26	0	0	31	0	3	35·5	19·7	29·0	0·00	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	168,500	57	21	69	5	4	68	21·1	1·9	5	42	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	13	0	2	39·0	19·0	31·2	0·00	17·9	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	27	9	39	3	1	37	21·9	4·1	7	11	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	1	5	1	3	38·4	21·8	32·5	0·00	00·0	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	80,000	30	6	52	5	2	49	32·0	7·2	8	10	0	0	1	3	0	5	1	1	7	0	2	39·0	26·4	33·4	0·00	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	30	7	20	0	4	24	19·0	1·6	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	11	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	47,800	11	5	13	0	3	16	17·5	1·1	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,200	14	3	25	4	3	24	28·4	5·9	2	12	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,900	16	4	16	0	2	18	21·5	2·4	3	5	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	13	7	14	3	3	14	19·0	1·4	2	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,700	15	3	11	1	1	11	14·9	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	36,600	16	3	13	6	3	10	14·3	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	36,900	12	5	18	2	1	17	24·0	1·4	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	35,400	11	1	21	0	0	21	31·0	7·4	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,000	8	3	19	2	2	19	28·4	3·0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	1	37·0	16·0	27·4	0·00	4·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Jan. 28, 1933,	2,488,900	839	273	1043	97	51	997	20·9	2·7	110	424	0	0	4	28	3	84	4	6	224	4	33	43·0	16·0	31·3	0·00	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Jan. 21, 1933,	2,488,900	900	182	1023	92	39	970	20·4	3·0	132	376	0	0	2	23	6	108	5	1	215	15	18	46·7	15·0	32·2	0·13	...	
Jan. 30, 1932,	2,488,900	955	256	697	103	29	623	13·1	1·0	91	238	0	21	4	3	5	7	2	5	99	10	23	49·0	22·0	40·4	0·06	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 4th February 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 885 living children, the deaths of 1158 persons, and 328 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 1109. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 23·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·9 more than in the previous week, but 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·1 more than in the previous week, and 0·5 above the average. The death-rate is 2·4 more than in the previous week, and 2·8 above the average, or 7·2 above if the abnormal rate of 37·9 in 1929 be excluded.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 40·8 in Dundee and 33·5 in Falkirk, to 12·6 in Ayr and 12·8 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (32·7), in Coatbridge (31·0), and in Kirkcaldy (28·2).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 161, and are 32 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 40 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 98 from influenza, 7 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 8 from other epidemic diseases, of which 5 were ascribed to erysipelas, 2 to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 14 more, from whooping-cough 12 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 more, from diphtheria 2 more, and from other epidemic diseases 2 more, but those from scarlet fever are 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 288, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 6·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 1·3 more than in the previous week, and is 0·7 above the average, or 3·0 above if the abnormal rate of 14·5 in 1929 be excluded.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 155, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 448. The former are 45 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 24 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 20, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 38°·1, being 6°·8 above that for the previous week, but 5°·4 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 2·25 inches.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	392	164	507	47	14	474	22·2	2·3	75	167	0	0	1	19	3	19	5	2	130	9	11	51·6	26·9	39·0	2·62	6·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	128	70	188	21	5	172	19·8	3·1	15	75	0	0	1	4	1	18	1	2	38	0	2	52·0	29·0	38·6	0·75	15·6	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	59	21	143	5	1	139	40·8	10·6	14	70	0	0	0	3	0	31	1	1	28	0	2	49·7	25·2	36·3	1·03	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	62	15	74	7	2	69	21·0	2·4	10	34	0	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	21	0	3	47·0	24·0	38·2	0·78	14·5	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	42	7	32	1	0	31	18·3	3·5	5	13	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	6	0	1	50·6	24·0	38·4	3·59	10·2	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	31	6	48	1	3	50	32·7	3·9	7	18	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	22	0	0	52·0	27·4	39·3	5·68	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	25	5	22	0	1	23	18·2	3·2	5	7	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	21	4	8	0	4	12	12·8	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	14	7	24	1	1	24	28·2	5·9	5	11	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	10	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	18	1	21	0	5	26	31·0	4·8	5	9	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	17	6	13	2	4	15	20·3	1·4	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	22	5	9	0	3	12	16·2	1·4	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	17	3	8	0	1	9	12·6	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	12	4	25	3	2	24	33·5	7·0	3	12	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	14	4	15	3	2	14	20·2	7·2	3	5	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16 PERTH, ...	35,300	11	6	21	6	0	15	22·2	5·9	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	52·0	19·0	37·2	1·28	11·5	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Feb. 4, 1933,	2,505,600	885	328	1158	97	48	1109	23·1	3·4	155	448	0	0	3	40	5	98	7	8	288	9	20	52·0	19·0	38·1	2·25	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Jan. 28, 1933,	2,505,600	839	273	1043	97	51	997	20·7	2·7	110	424	0	0	4	28	3	84	4	6	224	4	33	43·0	16·0	31·3	0·00	...	
Feb. 6, 1932,	2,488,900	908	324	779	91	33	721	15·1	1·3	107	262	1	16	5	6	4	9	13	8	116	11	22	58·0	25·0	43·5	0·02	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 6. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 11th February 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 894 living children, the deaths of 979 persons, and 246 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 938. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 19·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·7 less than in the previous week, and 0·6 below the average. The death-rate is 3·6 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 above the average, or 3·5 above if the abnormal rate of 28·3 in 1929 be omitted.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 26·7 in Dundee and 25·0 in Coatbridge, to 5·4 in Clydebank and 13·3 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (24·2), in Greenock (24·2), in Motherwell and Wishaw (23·8), in Kirkcaldy (22·3) and in Edinburgh (19·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 105, and are 56 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 19 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 70 from influenza, 6 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 28 fewer, from whooping-cough 21 fewer, from other epidemic diseases 4 fewer, from scarlet fever 1 fewer, from diphtheria 1 fewer and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 209, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 4·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 1·7 less than in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average, or 1·0 above if the abnormal rate of 9·7 in 1929 be omitted.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 117, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 400. The former are 38 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 48 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 12 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·0, being 5°·9 above that for the previous week, and 5°·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·66 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	426	122	412	28	8	392	18·4	1·5	53	143	0	0	1	11	2	14	2	1	84	3	13	52·8	30·8	45·1	0·67	5·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	149	49	182	18	7	171	19·7	3·3	13	92	0	0	0	1	1	22	3	2	38	0	5	55·0	31·0	44·3	0·35	9·5	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	68	18	99	9	1	91	26·7	4·1	12	35	0	0	1	0	0	12	1	0	27	1	3	53·5	31·7	42·8	0·47	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	58	19	62	1	2	63	19·2	1·2	12	30	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	11	0	3	54·0	31·0	42·9	0·44	11·8	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	25	4	42	2	1	41	24·2	3·0	3	25	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	7	0	3	52·8	29·8	44·9	0·79	6·0	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	27	7	39	2	0	37	24·2	2·6	6	14	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	13	0	0	54·0	31·2	45·0	1·12	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	23	5	24	0	6	30	23·8	1·6	3	11	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	5	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	11	1	3	0	2	5	5·4	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	16	7	18	0	1	19	22·3	1·2	3	12	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	20	0	16	1	6	21	25·0	6·0	5	5	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	2	0	4	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	18	1	15	2	1	14	18·9	1·4	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	16	3	8	0	3	11	14·9	1·4	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	9	3	17	5	0	12	16·8	1·4	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	13	3	14	4	0	10	14·0	2·8	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	11	2	16	4	0	12	17·3	5·8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	4	2	12	3	0	9	13·3	1·5	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	55·0	29·0	43·1	0·80	14·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Feb. 11, 1933,	2,505,600	894	246	979	79	38	938	19·5	2·2	117	400	0	0	2	19	4	70	6	4	209	4	32	55·0	29·0	44·0	0·66	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Feb. 4, 1933,	2,505,600	885	328	1158	97	48	1109	23·1	3·4	155	448	0	0	3	40	5	98	7	8	288	9	20	52·0	19·0	38·1	2·25	...	
Feb. 13, 1932,	2,488,900	889	276	760	79	32	713	15·0	1·6	95	247	0	32	6	7	10	15	2	2	125	9	24	50·0	27·0	38·3	0·06	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 7. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 18th February 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 929 living children, the deaths of 844 persons, and 215 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 778. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 more than in the previous week, but 0·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 below the average. The death-rate is 3·3 less than in the previous week, and 2·3 below the average, or 0·9 below if the abnormal rate of 24·1 in 1929 be omitted.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 27·5 in Greenock and 24·4 in Dundee, to 5·4 in Hamilton, 11·8 in Clydebank and 11·8 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (23·1), in Perth (19·2) and in Coatbridge (19·1).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 74, and are 31 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 44 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 more and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from other epidemic diseases numbered the same, while those from cerebro-spinal fever are 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 3 fewer, from diphtheria 3 fewer and from influenza 26 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 146, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and is 1·4 below the average, or 0·9 below if the abnormal rate of 6·8 in 1929 be excluded.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 86, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 329. The former are 31 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 71 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 17, and are 15 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 38°·8, being 5°·2 below that for the previous week, but 0°·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·10 inch.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	465	100	372	50	10	332	15·6	0·9	37	126	0	1	2	3	1	9	1	2	73	3	9	47·2	29·2	38·7	0·00	28·3	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	142	49	145	14	2	133	15·3	2·1	10	67	0	0	1	2	0	15	0	0	16	0	3	47·0	26·0	38·0	0·00	26·4	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	64	11	86	4	1	83	24·4	3·8	9	30	0	0	0	3	0	5	3	2	18	1	2	49·8	29·0	38·1	0·06	...	3
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	54	14	50	5	1	46	14·0	0·9	11	20	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	4	1	0	53·0	28·0	38·4	0·57	15·0	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	16	4	25	1	0	24	14·2	2·4	5	9	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	2	1	0	48·2	27·9	40·3	0·00	31·5	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	22	7	41	1	2	42	27·5	2·0	6	15	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	14	0	2	47·2	31·0	39·2	0·06	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	32	2	13	0	2	15	11·9	0·8	1	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	14	3	6	0	5	11	11·8	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	12	8	11	1	0	10	11·8	2·4	2	5	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	24	0	14	0	2	16	19·1	3·6	2	7	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	13	2	14	4	2	12	16·2	1·4	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	20	2	5	1	0	4	5·4	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	19	2	10	1	1	10	14·0	0·0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	14	3	13	2	0	11	15·4	4·2	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	8	6	21	5	0	16	23·1	5·8	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	10	2	18	7	2	13	19·2	0·0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	50·0	25·0	38·9	0·02	38·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Feb. 18, 1933,	2,505,600	929	215	844	96	30	778	16·2	1·5	86	329	0	1	3	16	1	44	5	4	146	6	17	53·0	25·0	38·8	0·10	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Feb. 11, 1933,	2,505,600	894	246	979	79	38	938	19·5	2·2	117	400	0	0	2	19	4	70	6	4	209	4	32	55·0	29·0	44·0	0·66	...	
Feb. 20, 1932,	2,488,900	951	234	923	96	20	847	17·8	1·4	150	286	1	27	6	9	2	21	0	2	205	16	25	53·2	21·0	38·5	0·01	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 8. Week ending SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 25th February 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 849 living children, the deaths of 807 persons, and 299 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 745. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·6 less than in the previous week, and 3·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·7 more than in the previous week, and 0·5 above the average. The death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 3·6 below the average, or 2·6 below if the abnormal rate of 23·3 in 1929 be excluded.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·9 in Falkirk and 20·3 in Coatbridge to 5·4 in Hamilton and 8·7 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Edinburgh (17·3), in Dundee (16·7), in Greenock (16·4), in Kilmarnock (16·2), in Motherwell and Wishaw (15·8), and in Glasgow (15·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 56, and are 18 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 18 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, 23 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, all of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 6 more and from whooping-cough 2 more, but those from measles and from other epidemic diseases each numbered the same, while from scarlet fever they are 2 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 fewer, and from influenza 21 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 133, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 1·9 below the average, or 1·5 below if the abnormal rate of 6·4 in 1929 be excluded.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 86, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 312. The former are the same as in the previous week, but the latter are 17 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 34°·5, being 4°·3 below that for the previous week, and 8°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·46 inch.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	392	140	362	34	7	335	15·7	1·0	37	132	0	1	1	6	4	6	1	2	68	1	10	46·5	28·8	34·8	0·31	32·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	136	50	172	28	6	150	17·3	1·5	9	67	0	0	0	5	0	8	0	0	24	0	5	48·0	26·0	34·5	0·15	28·1	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	68	17	61	5	1	57	16·7	2·1	13	26	0	0	0	1	1	4	0	1	6	1	1	47·0	27·2	34·4	0·33	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	52	27	50	12	2	40	12·2	0·3	5	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	41·0	26·0	32·9	0·92	30·4	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	27	8	26	2	0	24	14·2	0·6	0	14	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	47·8	28·0	35·5	0·64	30·6	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	29	8	25	0	0	25	16·4	2·0	5	6	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	6	0	2	45·3	27·9	35·0	0·31	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	29	6	19	0	1	20	15·8	3·2	6	7	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	19	5	7	0	3	10	10·7	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	9	11	11	0	1	12	14·1	0·0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	18	4	14	1	4	17	20·3	3·6	4	5	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	15	3	12	1	1	12	16·2	1·4	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	13	2	3	0	1	4	5·4	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	15	4	10	1	2	11	15·4	0 0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	10	1	13	0	2	15	20·9	1·4	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	11	4	11	5	0	6	8·7	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	6	9	11	5	1	7	10·3	1·5	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	50·0	27·0	34·2	0·55	31·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Feb. 25, 1933,	2,505,600	849	299	807	94	32	745	15·5	1·2	86	312	0	1	1	18	7	23	2	4	133	3	24	50·0	26·0	34·5	0·46	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Feb. 18, 1933,	2,505,600	929	215	844	96	30	778	16·2	1·5	86	329	0	1	3	16	1	44	5	4	146	6	17	53·0	25·0	38·8	0·10	...	
Feb. 27, 1932,	2,488,900	929	253	967	87	31	911	19·1	2·0	162	327	1	28	4	6	7	43	3	2	239	11	25	53·8	28·2	42·5	0·04	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 9. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 4th March 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 881 living children, the deaths of 801 persons, and 382 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 748. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but 2·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·7 more than in the previous week, and 1·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 2·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 25·0 in Coatbridge and 23·0 in Kilmarnock, to 10·8 in Hamilton, 11·1 in Greenock and 11·1 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (22·3), in Perth (20·7), in Ayr (18·2), in Aberdeen (16·8), in Edinburgh (15·9) and in Glasgow (15·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 49, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 10 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 17 from influenza, 9 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from cerebro-spinal fever are 7 more, from scarlet fever 4 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 4 fewer, from influenza 6 fewer, and from whooping-cough 8 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 161, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but is 0·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 79, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 301. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 11 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·1, being 5°·6 above that for the previous week, and 1°·8 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·38 inch.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	450	189	360	35	9	334	15·7	1·0	44	126	0	0	4	3	1	5	4	4	77	3	9	46·8	33·9	40·4	0·96	0·4	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	108	53	152	17	3	138	15·9	0·8	8	68	0	0	0	3	0	4	0	0	27	0	5	46·0	33·0	39·4	0·63	4·8	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	60	22	54	6	2	50	14·7	1·5	4	22	0	0	0	1	0	1	3	0	10	0	1	43·7	32·7	39·1	1·91	...	3
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	45	23	61	9	3	55	16·8	0·3	4	21	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	9	0	3	43·0	37·0	40·4	2·28	0·0	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	29	14	21	1	0	20	11·8	1·8	1	7	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	4	0	0	49·0	33·7	40·7	0·90	0·4	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	36	7	18	3	2	17	11·1	0·7	4	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	47·7	34·8	40·4	1·24	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	21	8	11	0	3	14	11·1	0·8	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	14	12	6	0	7	13	13·9	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	14	7	8	0	2	10	11·8	2·4	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	24	10	21	1	1	21	25·0	3·6	1	10	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	7	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	16	3	18	2	1	17	23·0	2·7	4	5	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	4	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	12	9	8	0	0	8	10·8	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	18	7	15	5	3	13	18·2	1·4	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	9	7	17	2	1	16	22·3	2·8	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	13	6	12	4	0	8	11·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	12	5	19	6	1	14	20·7	0·0	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	46·0	33·0	40·1	1·75	0·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Mar. 4, 1933,	2,505,600	881	382	801	91	38	748	15·6	1·0	79	301	0	0	5	10	3	17	9	5	161	4	25	49·0	32·7	40·1	1·38	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Feb. 25, 1933,	2,505,600	849	299	807	94	32	745	15·5	1·2	86	312	0	1	1	18	7	23	2	4	133	3	24	50·0	26·0	34·5	0·46	...	
Mar. 5, 1932,	2,488,900	974	338	945	86	41	900	18·9	2·5	133	340	0	38	5	5	8	52	4	6	246	8	13	49·0	25·0	38·3	0·28	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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No. 10. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 11th March 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 892 living children, the deaths of 739 persons, and 252 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 674. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 14·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 2·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·7 less than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average. The death-rate is 1·6 less than in the previous week, and 4·8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·8 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 17·9 in Dundee, to 8·4 in Ayr and 9·2 in Greenock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (16·7), in Kirkcaldy (15·3), and in Perth (14·8).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 41, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 3 from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 9 from influenza, 6 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 3 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 3 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from scarlet fever and from diphtheria each number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 fewer, and from influenza 8 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 116, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·4 per thousand. This death-rate is 1·0 less than in the previous week, and is 1·9 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 83, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 276. The former are 4 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 25 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 15, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 44°·7, being 4°·6 above that for the previous week, and 8°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·76 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	400	115	336	46	9	299	14·0	1·1	40	120	0	0	3	6	1	4	5	4	53	8	9	58·0	37·1	45·2	0·65	23·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	149	55	132	15	2	119	13·7	0·7	12	52	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	1	20	1	3	59·0	37·0	45·2	0·17	34·4	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	62	14	61	3	3	61	17·9	0·9	5	31	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	10	0	0	52·3	31·0	43·3	0·27	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	55	15	60	17	1	44	13·4	0·6	9	13	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	52·0	32·0	44·9	0·33	29·5	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	34	3	24	2	1	23	13·6	1·2	6	10	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	60·6	37·0	45·7	1·46	25·2	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	36	7	17	3	0	14	9·2	1·3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3	0	0	57·8	38·2	45·3	2·19	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	31	5	19	0	6	25	19·8	0·8	2	9	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	19	5	7	0	3	10	10·7	1·1	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	14	6	14	1	0	13	15·3	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	9	4	11	1	4	14	16·7	1·2	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	13	3	11	2	1	10	13·5	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	25	2	7	0	2	9	12·2	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	6	7	10	4	0	6	8·4	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	14	5	9	1	0	8	11·2	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	11	3	8	0	1	9	13·0	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	14	3	13	3	0	10	14·8	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	58·0	30·0	43·4	0·24	27·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Mar. 11, 1933,	2,505,600	892	252	739	98	33	674	14·0	0·9	83	276	0	3	5	9	3	9	6	6	116	9	15	60·6	30·0	44·7	0·76	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Mar. 4, 1933,	2,505,600	881	382	801	91	38	748	15·6	1·0	79	301	0	0	5	10	3	17	9	5	161	4	25	49·0	32·7	40·1	1·38	...	
Mar. 12, 1932,	2,488,900	975	248	998	99	44	943	19·8	2·8	159	324	0	41	2	6	5	67	4	9	239	7	27	51·0	23·0	36·3	0·40	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 11. Week ending SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 18th March 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 854 living children, the deaths of 694 persons, and 238 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 631. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and 3·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·9 less than in the previous week, and 5·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·2 in Perth and 17·6 in Kilmarnock, to 7·1 in Kirkcaldy and 7·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (17·3), in Coatbridge (16·7), in Dundee (15·6), in Greenock (14·4), in Aberdeen (14·0), and in Edinburgh (13·4).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 41, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 3 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 13 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 15 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 6 more, and from whooping-cough 4 more, but those from measles number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 2 fewer, from diphtheria 2 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 90, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and is 2·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 82, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 261. The former are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 15 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24, and are 9 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 43°·4, being 1°·3 below that for the previous week, but the same as that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·44 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	407	104	300	37	9	272	12·8	1·0	47	94	0	1	3	7	1	7	1	1	46	7	16	54·0	35·8	44·3	0·57	25·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	112	43	131	19	4	116	13·4	0·6	8	63	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	14	0	1	53·0	35·0	43·3	0·38	37·8	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	58	13	57	6	2	53	15·6	0·0	7	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	3	52·6	31·0	42·1	0·18	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	52	18	53	7	0	46	14·0	1·2	5	27	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	4	0	2	56·0	30·0	43·5	0·37	39·2	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	33	9	21	0	1	22	13·0	1·8	2	7	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	54·3	34·3	44·8	0·63	26·8	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	30	8	25	4	1	22	14·4	0·7	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	1	52·8	34·9	44·5	0·53	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	25	8	10	1	2	11	8·7	0·8	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	21	2	7	1	1	7	7·5	0·0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	11	6	5	0	1	6	7·1	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	19	5	10	0	4	14	16·7	2·4	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	19	6	17	5	1	13	17·6	2·7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	14	3	7	0	2	9	12·2	0·0	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	13	4	9	2	1	8	11·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	13	4	11	4	0	7	9·8	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	10	1	17	5	0	12	17·3	1·4	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	17	4	14	2	1	13	19·2	1·5	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	54·0	28·0	41·4	0·39	37·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Mar. 18, 1933,	**2,505,600**	**854**	**238**	**694**	**93**	**30**	**631**	**13·1**	**0·9**	**82**	**261**	**0**	**3**	**3**	**13**	**1**	**15**	**3**	**3**	**90**	**8**	**24**	**56·0**	**28·0**	**43·4**	**0·44**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Mar. 11, 1933,	2,505,600	892	252	739	98	33	674	14·0	0·9	83	276	0	3	5	9	3	9	6	6	116	9	15	60·6	30·0	44·7	0·76	...	
Mar. 19, 1932,	2,488,900	939	212	995	99	39	935	19·6	2·3	160	364	0	30	4	7	4	54	3	8	251	16	30	59·0	30·0	43·4	0·05	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 25th March 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 909 living children, the deaths of 701 persons, and 214 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 658. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 more than in the previous week, but 2·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but 3·6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·6 in Falkirk and 15.5 in Coatbridge, to 10·1 in Dunfermline and 10·5 in Greenock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (15·4), in Ayr (15·4), in Kirkcaldy (15·3), in Kilmarnock (14·9), in Aberdeen (14·6), in Glasgow (14·3), and in Motherwell and Wishaw (14·3).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 37, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 15 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, 6 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 7 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, but those from other epidemic diseases are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 2 fewer, and from influenza 9 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 111, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but is 1·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 79, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 244. The former are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 17 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 40, and are 16 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 43°·2, being 0°·2 below that for the previous week, and 1°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·08 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 25, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	425	80	330	38	13	305	14·3	0·9	46	87	0	0	0	6	7	3	3	1	52	5	11	58·3	33·3	44·4	0·01	34·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	128	46	123	19	1	105	12·1	0·8	5	54	0	0	1	1	0	3	1	1	17	0	7	60·0	33·0	44·1	0·00	49·2	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	60	21	51	8	2	45	13·2	0·3	4	15	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	5	55·1	30·0	41·2	0·03	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	60	21	42	6	12	48	14·6	0·0	2	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	9	56·0	28·0	41·5	0·02	47·6	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	39	5	25	0	1	26	15·4	1·8	7	6	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	59·6	32·0	45·3	0·40	36·7	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	27	3	18	2	0	16	10·5	0·7	3	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	58·2	32·1	44·2	0·09	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	30	0	13	0	5	18	14·3	0·0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	15	4	4	0	6	10	10·7	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	15	4	11	0	2	13	15·3	0·0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	20	6	11	0	2	13	15·5	2·4	2	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	14	6	12	2	1	11	14·9	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	17	4	7	0	1	8	10·8	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	16	2	13	2	0	11	15·4	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	9	3	17	4	1	14	19·6	2·8	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	22	5	10	3	0	7	10·1	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	12	4	14	6	0	8	11·8	1·5	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	61·0	28·0	41·7	0·02	38·9	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Mar. 25, 1933,	2,505,600	909	214	701	90	47	658	13·7	0·8	79	244	0	0	1	15	8	6	5	2	111	5	40	61·0	28·0	43·2	0·08	...	Total 16 Towns.
Mar. 18, 1933,	2,505,600	854	238	694	93	30	631	13·1	0·9	82	261	0	3	3	13	1	15	3	3	90	8	24	56·0	28·0	43·4	0·44	...	
Mar. 26, 1932,	2,488,900	932	277	851	82	32	801	16·8	1·7	124	320	0	23	6	2	4	39	8	0	180	13	23	53·8	36·0	44·5	1·15	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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No. 13. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 1st April 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 982 living children, the deaths of 691 persons, and 292 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 642. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·5 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·8 below the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 3·3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·6 in Kilmarnock and 19·1 in Coatbridge, to 5·5 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 7·2 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (15·9), in Falkirk (15·4), in Greenock (15·0), in Kirkcaldy (14·1), in Ayr (14·0), and in Dundee (13·8).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 40, and are 3 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 17 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 7 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 3 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from other epidemic diseases are 4 more, from whooping-cough 2 more, and from influenza 1 more, but those from scarlet fever and from cerebro-spinal fever each number the same, while from diphtheria they are 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 105, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 1·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 83, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 239. The former are 4 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 5 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 11 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 45°·7, being 2°·5 above that for the previous week, and 3°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·20 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 1, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	487	129	319	46	13	286	13·4	1·0	46	100	0	0	1	10	2	3	3	3	58	6	6	58·3	36·2	44·9	0·13	34·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	143	63	133	23	5	115	13·3	0·6	7	43	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	1	13	0	7	62·0	37·0	47·0	0·00	57·0	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	61	10	51	5	1	47	13·8	0·3	5	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	0	2	61·7	31·0	45·6	0·00	...	3
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	55	19	45	4	3	44	13·4	0·6	5	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	5	0	3	70·0	34·0	48·0	0·70	48·5	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	34	10	27	3	3	27	15·9	1·8	2	10	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	61·1	33·6	45·3	0·23	34·7	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	43	10	23	0	0	23	15·0	1·3	5	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	59·8	37·8	45·3	0·31	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	25	5	5	0	2	7	5·5	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	21	4	3	0	6	9	9·6	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	.	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	15	7	10	1	3	12	14·1	0·0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	...	..	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	9	5	15	0	1	16	19·1	1·2	2	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	15	8	16	1	1	16	21·6	2·7	4	9	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	16	1	5	0	1	6	8·1	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	11	8	13	3	0	10	14·0	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	16	4	9	0	2	11	15·4	1·4	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	18	4	7	2	0	5	7·2	1·4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	13	5	10	3	1	8	11·8	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62·0	28·0	43·9	0·01	50·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, April 1, 1933,	2,505,600	982	292	691	91	42	642	13·4	0·8	83	239	0	0	1	17	4	7	5	6	105	6	29	70·0	28·0	45·7	0·20	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Mar. 25, 1933,	2,505,600	909	214	701	90	47	658	13·7	0·8	79	244	0	0	1	15	8	6	5	2	111	5	40	61·0	28·0	43·2	0·08	...	
April 2, 1932,	2,488,900	1031	486	851	85	33	799	16·8	1·9	125	299	0	33	3	5	9	33	1	5	177	10	28	56·0	26·0	42·5	1·17	...	

Note:— Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 14. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 8, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 8th April 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 979 living children, the deaths of 721 persons, and 361 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 660. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·7.

The birth-rate of the week is the same as that in the previous week, but 1·0 below the average. The marriage rate is 1·4 more than in the previous week, but 1·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 2·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·6 in Falkirk and 18·8 in Dunfermline, to 10·3 in Perth and 10·7 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (18·2), in Kirkcaldy (15·3), in Greenock (15·0), in Kilmarnock (14·9), in Hamilton (14·9), in Motherwell and Wishaw (14·3), and in Edinburgh (14·1).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 37, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 15 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 more, and from measles 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever number the same, while from diphtheria they are 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 2 fewer, from influenza 2 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 119, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but is 0·8 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 95, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 253. The former are 12 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 14 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49°·8, being 4°·1 above that for the previous week, and 8°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·57 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 8, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	449	144	323	49	14	288	13·5	0·8	48	92	0	0	3	6	2	3	2	1	67	4	8	58·8	41·0	48·9	0·57	16·4	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	126	82	145	27	4	122	14·1	0·7	11	52	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	1	17	0	6	62·0	41·0	49 9	0·17	19·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	77	23	45	2	1	44	12·9	0·3	8	21	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	65·0	39·3	50·1	0·31	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	68	26	50	9	2	43	13·1	0·6	3	25	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	0	3	58·0	39·0	48·3	0·41	7·9	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	30	10	20	2	1	19	11·2	1·2	2	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	63·7	41·5	50·5	0·64	20·5	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	42	8	22	0	1	23	15·0	2·0	3	9	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	59·0	41·9	49·6	1·62	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	36	4	14	0	4	18	14·3	2·4	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	22	10	7	0	5	12	12·8	0·0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	16	11	13	1	1	13	15·3	0·0	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	18	5	8	1	2	9	10·7	0·0	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	15	8	13	3	1	11	14·9	1 4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	18	6	9	1	3	11	14·9	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	15	5	16	3	0	13	18·2	1·4	2	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	7	7	15	1	0	14	19·6	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	21	8	14	3	2	13	18·8	1·4	3	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	19	4	7	1	1	7	10·3	0 0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	63·0	41·0	51·5	0·28	22 2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, April 8, 1933,	2,505,600	979	361	721	103	42	660	13·7	0·8	95	253	0	1	4	15	3	5	5	4	119	6	21	65·0	39·0	49·8	0·57	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
April 1, 1933,	2,505,600	982	292	691	91	42	642	13·4	0·8	83	239	0	0	1	17	4	7	5	6	105	6	29	70 0	28·0	45·7	0 20	...	
April 9, 1932,	2,488,900	955	317	810	85	43	768	16·1	1·7	111	276	0	22	2	14	4	28	2	7	143	8	19	56·0	28·0	41·6	1·07	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 15. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 15th April 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 892 living children, the deaths of 594 persons, and 327 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 557. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·6.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·8 less than in the previous week, and 3·3 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 2·0 below the average. The death-rate is 2·1 less than in the previous week, and 3·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·2 in Ayr and 16·8 in Falkirk, to 7·5 in Clydebank and 8·5 in Aberdeen. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (15·7), in Dunfermline (14·5), in Perth (13·3), in Motherwell and Wishaw (12·7), in Glasgow (12·4), and in Coatbridge (11·9).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 23, and are 14 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 13 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 2 fewer, from diphtheria 2 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 80, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and is 1·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 69, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 211. The former are 26 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 42 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49°·5, being 0°·3 below that for the previous week, but 7°·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·24 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING APRIL 15, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	405	111	280	28	13	265	12·4	0·7	35	85	0	0	0	8	1	2	2	1	36	6	14	58·3	35·4	48·8	0·20	26·1	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	122	71	102	18	4	88	10·2	0·2	8	42	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	12	1	3	59·0	34·0	49·3	0·18	32·3	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	50	59	37	5	5	37	10·9	0·0	3	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	1	64·0	34·7	50·4	0·17	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	69	24	32	8	4	28	8·5	0·6	1	15	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	62·0	28·0	48·6	0·48	34·6	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	31	8	16	1	0	15	8·9	1·2	3	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	60·1	34·0	50·0	0·16	37·9	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	47	5	23	2	3	24	15·7	0·0	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	57·9	36·2	48·4	0·46	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	35	6	10	0	6	16	12·7	0·0	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	28	4	7	0	0	7	7·5	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	10	7	8	1	2	9	10·6	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	12	4	12	2	0	10	11·9	2·4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	14	5	7	0	0	7	9·5	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	21	3	6	0	1	7	9·5	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	10	8	16	5	2	13	18·2	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	15	4	15	4	1	12	16·8	1·4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	10	6	13	3	0	10	14·5	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	13	2	10	2	1	9	13·3	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	62·0	36·0	51·0	0·05	42·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, April 15, 1933,	2,505,600	892	327	594	79	42	557	11·6	0·5	69	211	0	0	0	13	1	5	3	1	80	10	29	64·0	28·0	49·5	0·24	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
April 8, 1933,	2,505,600	979	361	721	103	42	660	13·7	0·8	95	253	0	1	4	15	3	5	5	4	119	6	21	65·0	39·0	49·8	0·57	...	
April 16, 1932,	2,488,900	960	342	790	103	53	740	15·5	1·0	103	265	0	16	0	6	7	12	8	0	137	7	30	54·0	27·0	42·2	0·54	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 16. Week ending SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 22nd April 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 1009 living children, the deaths of 645 persons, and 496 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 596. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 21·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·4 more than in the previous week, but 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·5 more than in the previous week, and 3·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but 2·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·9 in Falkirk and 16·2 in Hamilton, to 8·6 in Clydebank and 8·7 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Aberdeen (14·0), in Greenock (13·7), in Dundee (13·5), in Edinburgh (13·4), in Perth (13·3), and in Kirkcaldy (12·9).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 30, and are 7 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 3 more, from diphtheria 3 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, and from other epidemic diseases 2 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 1 fewer, and from influenza 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 87, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·8 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 78, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 225. The former are 9 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 14 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·8, being 6°·7 below that for the previous week, and 0°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·09 inch.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	486	258	280	39	8	249	11·7	0·4	33	97	0	0	2	5	0	0	1	1	46	4	14	56·2	33·4	44·2	0·02	18·8	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	132	89	131	16	1	116	13·4	0·8	12	42	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	2	11	2	6	54·0	32·0	41·7	0·12	24·7	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	72	31	48	3	1	46	13·5	0·6	6	20	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	56·1	31·7	41·9	0·07	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	61	30	46	6	6	46	14·0	0·3	10	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	10	1	2	49·0	32·0	39·9	0·27	13·8	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	33	12	16	0	2	18	10·6	0·6	2	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	57·0	33·3	44·5	0·06	22·6	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	41	11	22	1	0	21	13·7	1·3	5	7	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	58·0	34·8	44·4	0·08	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	31	11	13	0	2	15	11·9	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	20	7	2	0	6	8	8·6	1·1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	20	4	9	1	3	11	12·9	1·2	1	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	29	5	8	1	2	9	10·7	1·2	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	14	6	10	4	2	8	10·8	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	22	5	11	0	1	12	16·2	1·4	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	17	6	8	1	0	7	9·8	1·4	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	12	4	20	5	0	15	20·9	1·4	3	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	8	10	9	3	0	6	8·7	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	11	7	12	4	1	9	13·3	3·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	61·0	29·0	43·2	0·02	15·9	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, April 22, 1933,	**2,505,600**	**1009**	**496**	**645**	**84**	**35**	**596**	**12·4**	**0·6**	**78**	**225**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**16**	**4**	**3**	**2**	**3**	**87**	**7**	**25**	**61·0**	**29·0**	**42·8**	**0·09**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
April 15, 1933,	2,505,600	892	327	594	79	42	557	11·6	0·5	69	211	0	0	0	13	1	5	3	1	80	10	29	64·0	28·0	49·5	0·24	...	
April 23, 1932,	2,488,900	1016	336	752	86	35	701	14·7	0·9	83	278	0	17	1	2	8	11	1	3	122	11	34	55·7	28·0	43·1	0·55	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 29th April 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 975 living children, the deaths of 668 persons, and 444 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 618. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·1 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 below the average. The death-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, but 2·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·6 in Greenock and 16·6 in Motherwell and Wishaw, to 6·8 in Hamilton and 7·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (15·9), in Coatbridge (14·3), in Aberdeen (14·0), in Ayr (14·0), and in Dundee (13·8).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 28, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 14 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from other epidemic diseases are 2 more and from influenza 1 more, but those from scarlet fever are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from whooping-cough 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 79, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·6 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 1·0 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 87, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 242. The former are 9 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 17 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 25, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49°·0, being 6°·2 above that for the previous week, and 3°·6 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·89 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	475	198	289	32	11	268	12·6	0·7	40	98	0	0	1	4	3	3	0	3	34	4	10	60·3	36·9	50·4	0·98	15·3	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	152	67	130	25	4	109	12·6	0·3	7	53	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	10	0	5	58·0	36·0	49·1	1·23	22·6	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	71	24	48	2	1	47	13·8	0·6	5	21	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	0	4	59·2	33·0	47·9	0·74	...	3
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	62	38	51	5	0	46	14·0	0·0	8	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	1	59·0	32·0	46·5	0·86	44·9	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	34	13	19	1	3	21	12·4	0·6	5	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	60·2	36·0	50·5	1·18	28·0	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	42	14	28	2	4	30	19·6	1·3	8	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	58·3	36·0	50·0	0·80	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	31	17	15	0	6	21	16·6	0·8	5	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	10	11	5	0	2	7	7·5	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	13	3	9	0	2	11	12·9	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	19	5	11	0	1	12	14·3	3·6	3	6	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	9	11	13	5	0	8	10·8	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	22	12	7	2	0	5	6·8	1·4	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	9	15	17	7	0	10	14·0	1·4	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	12	3	8	2	0	6	8·4	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	5	5	12	2	1	11	15·9	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	9	8	6	1	1	6	8·9	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60·0	28·0	48·4	0·46	25·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, April 29, 1933.	2,505,600	975	444	668	86	36	618	12·9	0·6	87	242	0	0	1	14	3	4	1	5	79	5	25	60·3	28·0	49·0	0·89	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
April 22, 1933,	2,505,600	1009	496	645	84	35	596	12·4	0·6	78	225	0	0	2	16	4	3	2	3	87	7	25	61·0	29·0	42·8	0·09	...	
April 30, 1932,	2,488,900	1053	423	745	88	35	692	14·5	1·1	98	258	0	15	6	4	1	14	6	5	111	10	27	59·7	29·0	45·4	0·65	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 18. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 6, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 6th May 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 949 living children, the deaths of 671 persons, and 481 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 629. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and 2·3 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·6 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 1·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 23·0 in Hamilton and 20·7 in Perth, to 7·0 in Ayr and 9·4 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Coatbridge (19·1), in Paisley (17·1), in Motherwell and Wishaw (14·3), in Falkirk (14·0), and in Glasgow (13·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 39, and are 11 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 20 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 8 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 6 more, from influenza 4 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from other epidemic diseases are 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 81, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 84, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 242. The former are 3 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are the same as in that week.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 47°·3, being 1°·7 below that for the previous week, but 2°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·85 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	439	214	316	33	8	291	13·7	0·8	48	95	0	0	1	10	2	0	3	1	39	10	16	62·2	38·1	48·3	1·19	16·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	143	116	121	19	3	105	12·1	1·4	11	50	0	0	0	4	1	6	0	1	7	0	5	63·0	36·0	46·3	0·65	12·2	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	64	27	37	5	4	36	10·6	1·2	2	17	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	58·5	33·4	46·4	0·25	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	64	23	36	5	2	33	10·1	0·0	5	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	2	4	54·0	30·0	44·9	0·20	27·0	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	30	9	30	1	0	29	17·1	0·0	4	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	66·4	37·2	49·4	1·32	16·5	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	42	5	21	2	1	20	13·1	2·0	3	9	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	60·7	37·8	48·6	1·97	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	23	14	12	0	6	18	14·3	1·6	1	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	16	8	6	0	5	11	11·8	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	13	8	9	1	0	8	9·4	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	23	5	15	2	3	16	19·1	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	14	6	6	0	1	7	9·5	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	18	6	16	0	1	17	23·0	0·0	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	15	5	8	4	1	5	7·0	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	17	15	12	2	0	10	14·0	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	11	15	13	5	1	9	13·0	1·4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	17	5	13	0	1	14	20·7	0·0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	62·0	29·0	47·0	0·40	15·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 6, 1933,	2,505,600	949	481	671	79	37	629	13·1	0·8	84	242	0	0	2	20	4	8	3	2	81	13	32	66·4	29·0	47·3	0·85	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
April 29, 1933,	2,505,600	975	444	668	86	36	618	12·9	0·6	87	242	0	0	1	14	3	4	1	5	79	5	25	60·3	28·0	49·0	0·89	...	
May 7, 1932,	2,488,900	987	420	682	74	43	651	13·7	0·7	87	260	0	13	2	7	1	6	0	4	112	10	23	63·1	31·0	45·1	0·18	...	

Note:— Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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No. 19. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 13th May 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 1003 living children, the deaths of 693 persons, and 126 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 639. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·2 more than in the previous week, but 1·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 7·4 less than in the previous week, and 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·2 in Perth and 15·9 in Paisley, to 5·6 in Falkirk and 6·4 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (14·8), in Dundee (13·8), and in Kilmarnock (13·5).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 31, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 12 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 6 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 2 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from other epidemic diseases number the same, while from diphtheria they are 1 fewer, from influenza 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 8 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 87, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 81, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 235. The former are 3 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 7 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 33, and are 1 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 50°·3, being 3°·0 above that for the previous week, and 3°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·37 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	488	69	330	28	14	316	14·8	0·7	41	107	0	0	3	6	0	2	3	1	46	8	15	61·4	42·8	50·8	0·27	26·4	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	145	20	130	20	0	110	12·7	0·6	10	46	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	8	0	5	60·0	42·0	49·5	0·41	24·1	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	72	6	49	3	1	47	13·8	0 9	10	21	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	7	0	4	60·0	40·0	50·5	0·29	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	63	10	53	14	1	40	12·2	0·6	3	21	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	7	0	4	58·0	43·0	48·8	0·59	17·2	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	43	5	28	1	0	27	15·9	1·2	4	9	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	64·0	42·9	51·6	0·46	27·1	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	30	1	21	3	0	18	11·8	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	63·6	42·2	50·9	0·30	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	21	1	12	0	2	14	11·1	0·0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	9	1	3	0	3	6	6·4	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	20	1	8	1	1	8	9·4	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	17	5	5	0	1	6	7·2	1·2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	17	1	11	1	0	10	13·5	1 4	1	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, . . .	38,500	22	1	7	0	2	9	12·2	1·4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	13	4	10	4	0	6	8·4	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, . . .	37,300	18	1	7	3	0	4	5·6	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	13	0	5	0	0	5	7·2	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	12	0	14	2	1	13	19·2	1·5	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	64·0	37·0	50·3	0·28	28·4	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 13, 1933,	2,505,600	1003	126	693	80	26	639	13·3	0·6	81	235	0	0	4	12	3	6	4	2	87	10	33	64·0	37·0	50·3	0·37	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
May 6, 1933,	2,505,600	949	481	671	79	37	629	13·1	0·8	84	242	0	0	2	20	4	8	3	2	81	13	32	66·4	29·0	47·3	0·85	...	
May 14, 1932,	2,488,900	980	121	723	95	39	667	14·0	1·0	90	251	0	12	4	10	3	9	4	4	83	9	30	64·0	28·0	47·2	1·06	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 20. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 20, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 20th May 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 967 living children, the deaths of 672 persons, and 135 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 624. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·8 less than in the previous week, and 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 22·2 in Greenock and 17·7 in Paisley, to 8·9 in Perth and 9·8 in Ayr. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (16·8), in Coatbridge (15·5), in Kilmarnock (13·5), and in Glasgow (13·1).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 36, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, 5 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 4 more, from other epidemic diseases 2 more, and from typhoid fever, measles and cerebro-spinal fever each 1 more, but those from diphtheria number the same, while from influenza they are 1 fewer, and from scarlet fever 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 87, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·8 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 73, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 240. The former are 8 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 5 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 37, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 51°·4, being 1°·1 above that for the previous week, but 2°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·33 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	480	73	307	42	14	279	13·1	0·9	42	99	1	0	1	9	0	2	4	2	39	2	19	61·3	41·1	52·6	0·29	14·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	127	14	116	17	6	105	12·1	0·0	8	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	10	64·0	42·0	51·7	0·22	19·4	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	63	13	39	2	3	40	11·8	0·6	1	14	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	6	0	1	64·7	38·7	50·4	0·53	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	52	16	40	6	5	39	11·9	0·6	3	17	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	4	1	3	68·0	34·0	48·6	0·13	35·9	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	27	1	32	2	0	30	17·7	1·8	3	13	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	3	0	1	64·0	40·2	53·5	0·28	17·5	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	34	2	32	0	2	34	22·2	2·0	5	9	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	5	0	0	61·9	40·5	52·1	0·60	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	28	2	10	0	3	13	10·3	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	20	4	8	1	4	11	11·8	0·0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	15	1	9	0	0	9	10·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	23	2	13	0	0	13	15·5	3·6	4	5	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	24	0	11	2	1	10	13·5	2·7	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	15	0	8	2	2	8	10·8	1·4	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	18	2	9	2	0	7	9·8	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	16	0	15	3	0	12	16·8	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	16	1	10	4	2	8	11·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	9	4	13	7	0	6	8·9	1·5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	66·0	36·0	51·0	0·24	21·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 20, 1933,	2,505,600	967	135	672	90	42	624	13·0	0·7	73	240	1	1	1	16	3	5	5	4	87	3	37	68·0	34·0	51·4	0·33	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
May 13, 1933,	2,505,600	1003	126	693	80	26	639	13·3	0·6	81	235	0	0	4	12	3	6	4	2	87	10	33	64·0	37·0	50·3	0·37	...	
May 21, 1932,	2,488,900	993	129	757	100	26	683	14·3	0·9	94	234	0	17	3	3	2	9	4	4	112	13	26	68·2	40·9	53·4	1·13	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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No. 21. Week ending SATURDAY, MAY 27, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 27th May 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 905 living children, the deaths of 595 persons, and 131 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 545. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 2·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·3 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 1·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 13·3 in Perth and 12·6 in Ayr, to 5·4 in Clydebank, 5·4 in Hamilton, and 7·2 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kilmarnock (12·2), in Dundee (12·0), in Edinburgh (11·9), in Motherwell and Wishaw (11·9), and in Glasgow (11·6).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 23, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 10 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, all of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 2 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 2 fewer, from influenza 3 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 fewer, and from whooping-cough 6 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 72, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and is 0·6 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 63, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 196. The former are 10 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 44 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 54°·3, being 2°·9 above that for the previous week, and 4°·6 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·46 inch.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	406	54	269	34	13	248	11·6	0·5	27	66	0	0	1	5	1	1	1	2	42	4	18	67·0	42·4	55·0	0·81	40·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	130	27	115	15	3	103	11·9	0·3	8	50	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	8	0	5	66·0	41·0	53·6	0·45	27·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	75	10	42	3	2	41	12·0	0·6	4	18	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	68·1	42·3	53·3	0·29	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	70	15	43	7	1	37	11·3	0·3	5	19	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	2	64·0	38·0	52·0	0·07	30·2	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	33	4	22	4	0	18	10·6	0·0	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	72·0	42·0	56·0	0·59	40·9	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	29	2	18	2	1	17	11·1	2·0	6	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	69·2	42·8	54·8	0·65	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	20	4	13	1	3	15	11·9	0·0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	15	2	3	0	2	5	5·4	1·1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	20	3	7	0	1	8	9·4	0·0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	23	1	10	1	0	9	10·7	0·0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	15	1	9	2	2	9	12·2	1·4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	19	1	2	0	2	4	5·4	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	14	1	16	8	1	9	12·6	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	13	0	9	2	1	8	11·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	11	5	8	3	0	5	7·2	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	12	1	9	1	1	9	13·3	1·5	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	73·0	41·0	55·6	0·37	33·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, May 27, 1933,	2,505,600	905	131	595	83	33	545	11·3	0·5	63	196	0	0	3	10	1	2	2	5	72	5	29	73·0	38·0	54·3	0·46	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
May 20, 1933,	2,505,600	967	135	672	90	42	624	13·0	0·7	73	240	1	1	1	16	3	5	5	4	87	3	37	68·0	34·0	51·4	0·33	...	
May 28, 1932,	2,488,900	916	129	643	88	25	580	12·2	0·8	69	203	0	19	0	4	1	8	5	2	84	14	29	68·0	36·0	49·7	0·47	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 22. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 3rd June 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 892 living children, the deaths of 622 persons, and 262 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 576. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 2·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·1 above the average. The death-rate is 0·7 more than in the previous week, but 0·9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·2 in Falkirk and 15·9 in Dunfermline, to 4·1 in Hamilton and 4·8 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Motherwell and Wishaw (15·0), in Clydebank (15·0), in Perth (14·8), in Dundee (13·2), in Greenock (13·1), and in Edinburgh (12·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 37, and are 14 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·8 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 13 from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, 7 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to dysentery, 1 to erysipelas, and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 5 more, from influenza 5 more, from whooping-cough 3 more, from typhoid fever 1 more, from measles 1 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from scarlet fever number the same, while from other epidemic diseases they are 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 71, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 78, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 220. The former are 15 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 24 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·5, being 1°·2 above that for the previous week, and 2°·9 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·37 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	418	122	277	33	6	250	11·7	0·7	44	85	1	0	1	5	3	2	1	1	43	2	13	75·3	46·2	58·3	0·36	23·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	141	41	129	21	2	110	12·7	0·9	10	57	0	0	0	2	1	3	1	1	6	0	6	74·0	44·0	56·0	0·31	36·0	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	55	19	44	1	2	45	13·2	0·9	5	17	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	6	0	2	67·0	40·0	51·9	0·28	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	68	26	41	7	3	37	11·3	1·2	4	14	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	66·0	34·0	50·4	0·01	28·3	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	30	15	21	2	0	19	11·2	0·6	2	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	74·0	43·9	58·9	0·38	22·8	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	32	12	21	3	2	20	13·1	2·0	2	4	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	72·0	44·7	57·2	0·76	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	19	7	16	0	3	19	15·0	0·8	2	9	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	19	0	5	0	9	14	15·0	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	18	0	7	0	1	8	9·4	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	15	1	3	0	1	4	4·8	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	14	3	7	1	2	8	10·8	1·4	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	13	5	4	1	0	3	4·1	1·4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	9	4	9	4	0	5	7·0	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	18	0	16	3	0	13	18·2	1·4	1	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	14	1	13	3	1	11	15·9	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	9	6	9	2	3	10	14·8	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	75·0	43·0	56·1	0·50	25·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, June 3, 1933,	2,505,600	892	262	622	81	35	576	12·0	0·8	78	220	1	1	3	13	6	7	3	3	71	2	28	75·3	34·0	55·5	0·37	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
May 27, 1933,	2,505,600	905	131	595	83	33	545	11·3	0·5	63	196	0	0	3	10	1	2	2	5	72	5	29	73·0	38·0	54·3	0·46	...	
June 4, 1932,	2,488,900	1022	356	630	91	38	577	12·1	0·5	62	216	0	8	2	4	5	5	0	2	80	10	26	75·0	36·0	52·6	0·09	...	

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No. 23. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 10th June 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 986 living children, the deaths of 692 persons, and 647 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 627. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 20·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 13·5, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·9 more than in the previous week, but 0·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 8·0 more than in the previous week, and 1·5 above the average. The death-rate is 1·0 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 23·7 in Falkirk and 16·5 in Kirkcaldy, to 8·7 in Dunfermline and 9·5 in Kilmarnock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (16·2), in Greenock (15·7), in Hamilton (14·9), in Motherwell and Wishaw (14·3), in Clydebank (13·9), in Glasgow (13·6), in Paisley (13·6), in Dundee (13·2), and in Coatbridge (13·1).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 27, and are 10 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 13 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis, and 1 each to dysentery, erysipelas, and acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from other epidemic diseases are 2 more, but those from typhoid fever and whooping-cough each number the same, while from cerebro-spinal fever they are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 2 fewer, from diphtheria 4 fewer, and from influenza 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 74, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 72, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 237. The former are 6 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 17 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 62°·3, being 6°·8 above that for the previous week, and 8°·6 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·17 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 10, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	455	298	324	46	11	289	13·6	0·5	40	111	1	0	0	2	1	2	0	4	44	7	14	80·7	54·2	64·3	0·00	41·3	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	146	124	123	32	6	97	11·2	0·6	7	44	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	9	1	5	82·0	50·0	64·2	0·26	51·9	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	57	41	46	1	0	45	13·2	0·3	4	14	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	79·7	47·7	60·3	0·42	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	55	67	38	7	1	32	9·8	0·0	1	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	74·0	42·0	58·0	0·25	68·0	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	44	10	24	3	2	23	13·6	1·8	2	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	82·8	52·0	64·6	0·01	46·3	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	47	10	25	4	3	24	15·7	2·0	5	5	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	78·2	52·9	63·1	0·08	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	31	17	15	0	3	18	14·3	0·0	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	13	7	6	0	7	13	13·9	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	18	9	15	4	3	14	16·5	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	26	10	8	0	3	11	13·1	1·2	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	20	10	8	1	0	7	9·5	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	17	4	8	1	4	11	14·9	1·4	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	21	11	8	1	2	9	12·6	1·4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	12	7	17	0	0	17	23·7	1·4	2	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	14	13	9	3	0	6	8·7	1·4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	10	9	18	7	0	11	16·2	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	81·0	47·0	61·6	0·19	54·5	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, June 10, 1933,	2,505,600	986	647	692	110	45	627	13·0	0·6	72	237	1	0	1	13	2	3	2	5	74	9	32	82·8	42·0	62·3	0·17	...	Total
June 3, 1933,	2,505,600	892	262	622	81	35	576	12·0	0·8	78	220	1	1	3	13	6	7	3	3	71	2	28	75·3	34·0	55·5	0·37	...	16
June 11, 1932,	2,488,900	1001	631	657	75	40	622	13·1	0·7	88	228	0	14	2	7	1	3	2	3	73	12	27	73·0	37·0	53·7	0·02	...	Towns.

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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No. 24. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 17th June 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 935 living children, the deaths of 588 persons, and 439 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 540. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 less than in the previous week, and 1·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 4·4 less than in the previous week, and 1·5 below the average. The death-rate is 1·8 less than in the previous week, and 0·8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 23·5 in Greenock and 16·5 in Aberdeen, to 2·9 in Dunfermline and 3·5 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (16·2), in Kilmarnock (13·5) and in Edinburgh (12·1).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 20, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 10 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 4 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 1 more and from influenza 1 more, but those from diphtheria number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 3 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 48, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and is 0·6 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 58, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 219. The former are 14 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 18 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 56°·7, being 5°·6 below that for the previous week, and 0°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·65 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	429	200	255	36	6	225	10·6	0·4	30	86	0	0	1	4	1	1	0	2	22	3	10	71·8	46·6	57·1	1·04	39·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	153	90	123	22	4	105	12·1	0·2	7	49	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	8	0	6	70·0	46·0	55·6	0·06	50·1	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	65	29	32	2	2	32	9·4	0·0	3	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	73·2	42·0	58·1	0·29	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	73	41	57	5	2	54	16·5	0·0	3	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	2	72·0	39·0	54·1	0·36	55·0	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	23	13	16	0	0	16	9·5	0·0	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	72·8	46·5	57·9	1·04	46·5	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	32	9	35	1	2	36	23·5	3·3	8	12	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	69·9	47·1	57·0	1·63	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	29	6	9	1	2	10	7·9	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	26	3	4	0	3	7	7·5	1·1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	14	9	2	0	1	3	3·5	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	15	6	6	0	1	7	8·3	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	17	3	11	3	2	10	13·5	2·7	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	17	7	5	0	3	8	10·8	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	15	6	7	1	2	8	11·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	10	7	8	2	0	6	8·4	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	10	8	5	3	0	2	2·9	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	7	2	13	2	0	11	16·2	1·5	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	74·0	37·0	57·1	0·11	64·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, June 17, 1933,	2,505,600	935	439	588	78	30	540	11·2	0·4	58	219	0	0	2	10	2	4	0	2	48	8	26	74·0	37·0	56·7	0·65	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
June 10, 1933,	2,505,600	986	647	692	110	45	627	13·0	0·6	72	237	1	0	1	13	2	3	2	5	74	9	32	82·8	42·0	62·3	0·17	...	
June 18, 1932,	2,488,900	966	412	642	101	44	585	12·3	0·7	63	233	0	4	1	9	2	7	4	4	80	12	39	79·6	41·0	57·0	0·00	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 25. Week ending SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 24th June 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 905 living children, the deaths of 569 persons, and 463 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 534. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 2·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·5 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and 1·3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 24·3 in Kilmarnock and 15·4 in Falkirk, to 5·6 in Ayr and 5·9 in Perth. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (13·5), in Greenock (12·4), in Glasgow (11·8), in Paisley (11·8), in Clydebank (11·8), and in Dundee (11·5).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 21, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 9 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, all of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from cerebro-spinal fever are 3 more, and from other epidemic diseases 3 more, but those from diphtheria number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 2 fewer, and from influenza 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 50, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·6 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 54, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 217. The former are 4 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 2 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 56°·9, being 0°·2 above that for the previous week, and 0°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·68 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	415	210	268	29	13	252	11·8	0·6	27	97	0	0	0	5	1	1	2	3	26	2	16	70·7	47·9	57·8	0·71	36·9	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	142	108	92	21	7	78	9·0	0·3	6	34	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	12	0	1	65·0	46·0	55·4	1·24	40·4	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	61	23	41	4	2	39	11·5	0·0	2	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	69·2	47·2	56·9	0·49	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	68	33	35	2	2	35	10·7	0·3	2	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	68·0	42·0	55·2	0·21	55·2	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	32	11	21	2	1	20	11·8	0·6	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	72·0	47·0	58·4	0·87	43·6	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	33	12	20	2	1	19	12·4	0·7	4	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	70·0	48·0	57·9	0·75	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	20	5	11	0	2	13	10·3	0·0	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	17	8	4	1	8	11	11·8	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	21	4	8	0	1	9	10·6	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	24	5	5	0	0	5	6·0	0·0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	12	9	19	2	1	18	24·3	1·4	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	13	5	10	1	1	10	13·5	2·7	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	9	8	7	3	0	4	5·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	13	3	16	6	1	11	15·4	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	11	12	7	2	1	6	8·7	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	14	7	5	2	1	4	5·9	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73·0	43·0	57·0	0·50	34·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, June 24, 1933,	2,505,600	905	463	569	77	42	534	11·1	0·4	54	217	0	0	0	9	2	2	3	5	50	3	21	73·0	42·0	56·9	0·68	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
June 17, 1933,	2,505,600	935	439	588	78	30	540	11·2	0·4	58	219	0	0	2	10	2	4	0	2	48	8	26	74·0	37·0	56·7	0·65	...	
June 25, 1932,	2,488,900	973	426	600	75	37	562	11·8	0·4	57	201	1	4	3	4	3	2	0	0	68	14	21	74·1	36·0	56·7	0·03	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from

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No. 26. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 1, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 1st July 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 903 living children, the deaths of 551 persons, and 525 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 507. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·6.

The birth-rate of the week is the same as in the previous week, but 1·9 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average. The death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and 0·9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·3 in Greenock, and 16·7 in Coatbridge, to 5·5 in Motherwell and Wishaw, and 7·7 in Paisley. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kilmarnock (13·5), in Perth (13·3), in Clydebank (12·8), in Dundee (12·6), in Dunfermline (11·6), in Ayr (11·2), in Hamilton (10·8) and in Aberdeen (10·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 18, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 10 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from typhoid fever are 1 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, and from whooping-cough 1 more, but those from diphtheria and influenza each number the same, while from cerebro-spinal fever they are 3 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 56, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 57, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 196. The former are 3 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 21 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 26, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 60°·2, being 3°·3 above that for the previous week, and 1°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·01 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 1, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	389	261	238	30	5	213	10·0	0·5	32	65	1	0	0	6	1	1	0	1	30	6	15	77·2	47·7	60·5	0·01	57·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	159	90	98	17	4	85	9·8	0·1	3	48	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	14	1	4	73·0	47·0	59·0	0·01	60·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	72	35	46	4	1	43	12·6	0·9	4	18	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	82·0	43·5	61·0	0·00	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	72	33	41	6	0	35	10·7	0·3	1	16	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	75·0	41·0	57·1	0·03	53·9	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	24	12	15	2	0	13	7·7	0·6	5	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	80·2	48·1	61·9	0·00	59·9	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	25	20	27	0	1	28	18·3	1·3	2	12	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	78·1	49·0	60·8	0·00	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	31	6	7	0	0	7	5·5	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	20	5	7	0	5	12	12·8	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	15	9	6	0	1	7	8·2	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	22	11	11	0	3	14	16·7	0·0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	19	7	9	1	2	10	13·5	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	14	8	5	0	3	8	10·8	0·0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	13	5	11	4	1	8	11·2	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	12	7	11	5	1	7	9·8	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	7	7	10	2	0	8	11·6	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	9	9	9	3	3	9	13·3	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	80·0	40·0	61·0	0·00	83·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, July 1, 1933,	2,505,600	903	525	551	74	30	507	10·6	0·4	57	196	1	0	1	10	2	2	0	2	56	8	26	82·0	40·0	60·2	0·01	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
June 24, 1933,	2,505,600	905	463	569	77	42	534	11·1	0·4	54	217	0	0	0	9	2	2	3	5	50	3	21	73·0	42·0	56·9	0·68	...	
July 2, 1932,	2,488,900	959	589	590	73	49	566	11·9	0·4	63	208	0	4	0	3	2	3	5	1	68	10	36	72·8	46·7	58·8	1·21	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 27. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 8, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 8th July 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 950 living children, the deaths of 642 persons, and 621 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 598. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 12·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 more than in the previous week, but 0·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·0 more than in the previous week, and 1·5 above the average. The death-rate is 1·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·6 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·6 in Ayr and 17·9 in Coatbridge, to 9·5 in Paisley and 10·8 in Glasgow and in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (16·8), in Kirkcaldy (15·3), in Edinburgh (15·2), in Motherwell and Wishaw (15·0), in Perth (14·8), in Greenock (13·7), in Aberdeen (12·8), and in Clydebank (12·8).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 26, and are 8 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 8 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 4 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from cerebro-spinal fever are 4 more, from other epidemic diseases 3 more, from diphtheria 2 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from influenza number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 59, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 71, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 211. The former are 14 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 15 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 43, and are 17 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 66°·8, being 6°·6 above that for the previous week, and 6°·9 above that for the corresponding week of last year. It is the highest mean temperature recorded for these towns for any week since the institution of these weekly returns in 1865. The previous highest mean temperature recorded was 66°·3 for the week ending 19th August 1893. The mean rainfall was 0·21 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	488	302	253	31	8	230	10·8	0·5	32	72	0	0	0	2	3	1	2	3	21	6	15	84·3	53·8	67·2	0·27	76·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	145	105	150	21	3	132	15·2	0·7	12	54	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	1	11	3	10	83·0	56·0	68·2	0·03	75·2	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	48	36	36	6	7	37	10·9	0·6	1	18	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	5	85·4	51·2	66·7	0·55	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	53	35	46	6	2	42	12·8	0·3	5	16	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	82·0	50·0	64·1	0·03	69·6	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	35	21	18	3	1	16	9·5	0·6	0	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	86·0	53·3	68·2	0·23	78·9	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	30	24	20	0	1	21	13·7	0·7	4	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	82·0	52·0	66·2	0·25	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	31	11	16	0	3	19	15·0	0·8	4	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	13	6	10	0	2	12	12·8	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	17	11	12	0	1	13	15·3	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	16	8	10	0	5	15	17·9	0·0	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	21	6	9	2	2	9	12·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	12	12	3	0	5	8	10·8	0·0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	16	8	17	4	1	14	19·6	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	12	21	16	4	0	12	16·8	2·8	1	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	6	4	11	3	0	8	11·6	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	7	11	15	5	0	10	14·8	1·5	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	87·0	48·0	67·0	0·10	64·8	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, July 8, 1933,	2,505,600	950	621	642	85	41	598	12·4	0·5	71	211	1	0	2	8	4	2	4	5	59	13	43	87·0	48·0	66·8	0·21	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
July 1, 1933,	2,505,600	903	525	551	74	30	507	10·6	0·4	57	196	1	0	1	10	2	2	0	2	56	8	26	82·0	40·0	60·2	0·01	...	
July 9, 1932,	2,488,900	939	519	593	87	43	549	11·5	0·3	61	204	0	2	3	4	1	1	4	1	69	14	26	78·0	43·6	59·9	0·61	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 15th July 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 823 living children, the deaths of 533 persons, and 563 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 519. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·7 less than in the previous week, and 3·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·2 less than in the previous week, and 1·5 below the average. The death-rate is 1·6 less than in the previous week, and 0·3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 14·6 in Aberdeen and 14·1 in Kirkcaldy, to 4·8 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 8·1 in Kilmarnock. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (14·0), in Perth (13·3), and in Edinburgh (12·5).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 19, and are 7 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from measles are 1 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, and from influenza 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 1 fewer, from whooping-cough 2 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 50, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 48, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 205. The former are 23 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 6 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 39 and are 4 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 60°·5, being 6°·3 below that for the previous week, but 1°·9 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·31 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 15, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	363	299	227	21	17	223	10·5	0·2	23	83	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	26	3	15	69·7	53·7	60·2	1·22	18·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	146	71	121	23	10	108	12·5	0·8	8	46	0	0	0	2	3	0	2	0	9	0	10	73·0	51·0	60·0	2·20	26·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	62	28	32	3	1	30	8·8	0·6	2	11	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	5	70·0	53·0	60·8	1·29	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	68	49	48	2	2	48	14·6	0·3	4	24	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	70·0	52·0	60·1	1·35	29·6	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	32	18	16	0	0	16	9·5	0·0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	71·1	54·0	61·1	0·91	22·7	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	31	9	10	0	3	13	8·5	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	68·3	54·0	60·1	1·08	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	20	11	5	0	1	6	4·8	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	22	8	5	0	3	8	8·6	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	15	13	14	2	0	12	14·1	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	12	8	8	0	1	9	10·7	2·4	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	12	4	6	2	2	6	8·1	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	14	16	6	0	2	8	10·8	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	5	6	9	3	4	10	14·0	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	6	1	9	2	0	7	9·8	1·4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	7	6	7	2	1	6	8·7	1·4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	8	16	10	2	1	9	13·3	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	73·0	52·0	61·2	1·14	30·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, July 15, 1933,	2,505,600	823	563	533	62	48	519	10·8	0·4	48	205	0	1	3	6	3	3	2	1	50	6	39	73·0	51·0	60·5	1·31	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
July 8, 1933,	2,505,600	950	621	642	85	41	598	12·4	0·5	71	211	1	0	2	8	4	2	4	5	59	13	43	87·0	48·0	66·8	0·21	...	
July 16, 1932,	2,488,900	899	598	537	74	34	497	10·4	0·3	67	184	0	2	1	4	3	0	1	3	46	12	19	83·0	43·0	58·6	0·29	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 29. Week ending SATURDAY, JULY 22, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 22nd July 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 927 living children, the deaths of 541 persons, and 886 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 503. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 19·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 18·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 6·7 more than in the previous week, and 1·4 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·9 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 22·3 in Falkirk and 20·0 in Kirkcaldy, to 5·4 in Hamilton and 6·4 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (17·7), in Motherwell and Wishaw (14·3), in Paisley (12·4), in Kilmarnock (10·8), in Coatbridge (10·7) and in Glasgow (10·6).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 7, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·1 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and none from other epidemic diseases. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from influenza 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 47, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 51, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 197. The former are 3 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 8 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 37, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 61°·4, being 0°·9 above that for the previous week, and 3°·5 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·17 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 22, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	443	469	251	38	14	227	10·6	0·0	26	83	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	29	5	16	72·8	51·0	61·9	0·13	37·4	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	140	106	92	19	5	78	9·0	0·2	7	32	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	8	74·0	50·0	61·1	0·20	41·9	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	59	69	30	4	0	26	7·6	0·0	6	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	72·0	50·2	61·5	0·20	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	62	35	35	3	2	34	10·4	0·3	2	14	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	2	71·0	49·0	59·8	0·10	37·2	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	28	17	20	1	2	21	12·4	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	74·2	50·3	62·8	0·09	42·7	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	38	9	13	1	2	14	9·2	2·0	1	8	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	70·8	50·2	61·4	0·29	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	28	34	12	0	6	18	14·3	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	20	27	4	0	2	6	6·4	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	8	38	15	2	4	17	20·0	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	32	26	7	0	2	9	10·7	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	15	6	11	4	1	8	10·8	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	11	14	2	0	2	4	5·4	0·0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	11	6	12	5	0	7	9·8	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	11	5	17	1	0	16	22·3	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	14	17	9	3	0	6	8·7	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	7	8	11	0	1	12	17·7	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	75·0	45·0	61·4	0·17	36·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, July 22, 1933,	2,505,600	927	886	541	81	43	503	10·5	0·1	51	197	0	0	2	2	2	1	0	0	47	6	37	75·0	45·0	61·4	0·17	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
July 15, 1933,	2,505,600	823	563	533	62	48	519	10·8	0·4	48	205	0	1	3	6	3	3	2	1	50	6	39	73·0	51·0	60·5	1·31	...	
July 23, 1932,	2,488,900	911	756	611	74	41	578	12·1	0·4	71	227	1	3	1	4	3	2	2	1	70	12	23	77·5	42·0	57·9	0·48	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 29th July 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 861 living children, the deaths of 529 persons, and 542 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 495. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·4 less than in the previous week, and 1·8 below the average. The marriage-rate is 7·1 less than in the previous week, but 0·6 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 14·1 in Kirkcaldy and 12·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw, to 4·1 in Hamilton and 5·6 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (11·6), in Glasgow (11·4) and in Ayr (11·2).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 17, and are 10 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, 1 of which was ascribed to acute poliomyelitis, and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 4 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 more, from other epidemic diseases 2 more, and from whooping-cough 1 more, but those from diphtheria and from influenza each number the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 45, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 56, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 188. The former are 5 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 9 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 32, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 60°·3, being 1°·1 below that for the previous week, but 2°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·32 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	415	105	258	30	15	243	11·4	0·5	32	87	0	0	5	3	2	0	1	0	32	2	16	71·8	52·2	60·9	1·39	19·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	119	206	98	17	4	85	9·8	0·3	4	36	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	4	1	5	74·0	50·0	59·3	2·28	22·9	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	35	101	34	4	2	32	9·4	0·0	5	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	1	76·0	42·8	57·7	1·04	...	3
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	47	20	30	4	5	31	9·5	0·0	2	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	75·0	52·0	60·6	1·11	21·8	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	32	29	13	0	0	13	7·7	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	74·0	52·4	62·0	1·20	22·0	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	33	10	16	2	1	15	9·8	0·7	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	70·7	54·0	60·8	1·23	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	32	7	15	0	1	16	12·7	0·8	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	13	5	6	0	2	8	8·6	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	21	5	10	2	4	12	14·1	1·2	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	23	5	6	0	1	7	8·3	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	19	21	7	2	1	6	8·1	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	14	3	3	0	0	3	4·1	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	17	4	11	4	1	8	11·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	13	1	7	3	0	4	5·6	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	14	12	10	2	0	8	11·6	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	14	8	5	3	2	4	5·9	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	76·0	50·0	61·0	1·02	24·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, July 29, 1933,	**2,505,600**	**861**	**542**	**529**	**73**	**39**	**495**	**10·3**	**0·4**	**56**	**188**	**0**	**0**	**6**	**3**	**2**	**1**	**3**	**2**	**45**	**7**	**32**	**76·0**	**42·8**	**60·3**	**1·32**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
July 22, 1933,	2,505,600	927	886	541	81	43	503	10·5	0·1	51	197	0	0	2	2	2	1	0	0	47	6	37	75·0	45·0	61·4	0·17	...	
July 30, 1932,	2,488,900	853	385	529	73	33	489	10·3	0·3	47	200	0	1	3	2	1	2	2	2	39	8	24	74·0	42·0	58·1	1·18	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 31. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 5th August 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 883 living children, the deaths of 509 persons, and 438 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 482. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·0.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 more than in the previous week, but 1·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·2 less than in the previous week, but 0·8 above the average. The death-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 13·6 in Paisley and 11·8 in Clydebank, to 4·7 in Kirkcaldy, 8·1 in Kilmarnock and 8·1 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (11·6), in Dundee (11·5), in Greenock (11·1), in Motherwell and Wishaw (11·1), in Coatbridge (10·7), in Glasgow (10·3), and in Aberdeen (10·1).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 17, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, 1 of which was ascribed to erysipelas, 1 to acute poliomyelitis, and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 3 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from diphtheria and from influenza each number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 5 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 48, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·0 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 51, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 171. The former are 5 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 17 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 23, and are 9 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 63°·7, being 3°·4 above that for the previous week, and 4°·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·56 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	412	153	235	28	13	220	10·3	0·4	28	66	0	0	1	4	0	0	3	1	20	1	11	81·0	49·8	63·3	0·52	36·4	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	121	103	84	12	0	72	8·3	0·0	4	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	1	4	80·0	50·0	64·1	0·15	48·2	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	63	18	41	3	1	39	11·5	0·9	3	11	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	2	81·0	41·0	62·6	0·67	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	59	43	33	3	3	33	10·1	0·6	1	13	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	3	83·0	48·0	63·9	0·51	48·5	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	25	46	20	1	4	23	13·6	0·6	3	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	83·2	50·0	64·3	0·58	34·6	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	42	10	16	0	1	17	11·1	0·7	2	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	79·0	50·2	63·0	1·08	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	28	6	10	0	4	14	11·1	0·0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	19	3	10	1	2	11	11·8	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	12	4	4	0	0	4	4·7	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	22	2	8	0	1	9	10·7	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	12	9	9	3	0	6	8·1	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	22	6	5	1	2	6	8·1	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	14	7	10	6	3	7	9·8	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	12	8	9	2	0	7	9·8	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	12	4	8	1	1	8	11·6	1·4	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	8	16	7	2	1	6	8·9	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83·0	45·0	64·8	0·40	50·9	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Aug. 5, 1933,	**2,505,600**	**883**	**438**	**509**	**63**	**36**	**482**	**10·0**	**0·4**	**51**	**171**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**6**	**2**	**1**	**4**	**3**	**48**	**3**	**23**	**83·2**	**41·0**	**63·7**	**0·56**	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
July 29, 1933,	2,505,600	861	542	529	73	39	495	10·3	0·4	56	188	0	0	6	3	2	1	3	2	45	7	32	76·0	42·8	60·3	1·32	...	
Aug. 6, 1932,	2,488,900	902	409	543	73	41	511	10·7	0·4	83	211	0	3	0	4	4	2	3	2	52	16	27	72·7	43·0	59·0	0·49	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 32. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 12, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 12th August 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 861 living children, the deaths of 528 persons, and 346 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 492. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·9 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 less than in the previous week, and 2·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·9 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but 0·7 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 13·5 in Kilmarnock and 13·0 in Dunfermline, to 4·8 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 7·5 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (12·6), in Greenock (12·4), in Hamilton (12·2), in Edinburgh (11·9), in Falkirk (11·2), in Coatbridge (10·7), and in Aberdeen (10·4).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 5, and are 12 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·1 per thousand. They include 1 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 1 from cerebro-spinal fever. No deaths from typhoid fever, from measles, from scarlet fever, from influenza, or from other epidemic diseases were recorded during the week. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 3 fewer, and from whooping-cough 5 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 42, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 59, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 198. The former are 8 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 27 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 39, and are 16 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 59°·3, being 4°·4 below that for the previous week, and 3°·6 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·20 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	405	157	227	33	13	207	9·7	0·0	27	85	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	19	8	17	71·7	50·6	59·5	0·30	35·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	138	84	110	14	7	103	11·9	0·1	6	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	0	7	75·0	49·0	58·6	0·11	45·0	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	69	15	36	4	1	33	9·7	0·0	4	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	79·0	46·4	60·2	0·03	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	51	29	45	13	2	34	10·4	0·0	4	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	5	75·0	42·0	57·5	0·13	45·6	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	33	5	16	1	0	15	8·9	0·0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	76·8	50·0	60·3	0·30	41·0	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	34	8	17	0	2	19	12·4	0·7	3	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	71·1	50·4	59·3	0·50	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	22	7	5	0	1	6	4·8	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	14	3	4	0	3	7	7·5	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	15	5	8	1	1	8	9·4	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	18	3	7	0	2	9	10·7	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	8	2	7	0	3	10	13·5	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	15	8	6	0	3	9	12·2	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	13	3	12	5	2	9	12·6	1·4	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	10	4	10	2	0	8	11·2	0·0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	12	7	9	0	0	9	13·0	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	4	6	9	3	0	6	8·9	1·5	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	79·0	43·0	59·8	0·02	51·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Aug. 12, 1933,	2,505,600	861	346	528	76	40	492	10·2	0·1	59	198	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	42	12	39	79·0	42·0	59·3	0·20	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Aug. 5, 1933,	2,505,600	883	438	509	63	36	482	10·0	0·4	51	171	0	0	1	6	2	1	4	3	48	3	23	83·2	41·0	63·7	0·56	...	
Aug. 13, 1932,	2,488,900	850	313	557	75	54	536	11·3	0·4	70	190	1	1	1	3	5	1	1	4	51	18	25	78·0	51·0	62·9	0·69	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 33. Week ending SATURDAY, AUGUST 19, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 19th August 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 846 living children, the deaths of 501 persons, and 347 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 455. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 9·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 1·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 1·1 above the average. The death-rate is 0·7 less than in the previous week, and 1·1 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 12·4 in Paisley and 11·3 in Aberdeen, to 5·4 in Clydebank, 5·4 in Hamilton and 7·1 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Falkirk (11·2), in Dundee (10·3), in Perth (10·3), in Ayr (9·8), and in Glasgow (9·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 10, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·2 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, none from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 3 more, from typhoid fever 1 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 35, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·4 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 51, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 182. The former are 8 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 16 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 18 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 59°·8, being 0°·5 above that for the previous week, but 0°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·48 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	393	155	231	36	12	207	9·7	0·2	27	72	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	1	17	7	8	69·3	50·6	59·3	0·50	25·3	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	113	68	96	21	2	77	8·9	0·1	8	38	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	7	72·0	51·0	60·4	0·34	37·7	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	66	26	33	1	3	35	10·3	0·0	4	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	71·0	50·0	60·3	0·17	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	51	37	40	3	0	37	11·3	0·0	4	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	71·0	47·0	60·2	0·09	42·7	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	23	4	23	4	2	21	12·4	0·0	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	69·7	50·0	60·2	0·89	32·3	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	35	6	15	3	0	12	7·8	0·7	1	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	68·4	53·0	59·3	1·15	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	25	9	6	0	3	9	7·1	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	20	3	4	0	1	5	5·4	1·1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	14	7	7	1	1	7	8·2	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	26	4	6	0	1	7	8·3	1·2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	19	4	7	1	0	6	8·1	1·4	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	16	3	3	0	1	4	5·4	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	18	4	7	1	1	7	9·8	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	10	3	10	3	1	8	11·2	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	5	5	6	0	0	6	8·7	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	12	9	7	0	0	7	10·3	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	70·0	44·0	59·1	0·19	39·9	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Aug. 19, 1933,	2,505,600	846	347	501	74	28	455	9·5	0·2	51	182	1	0	1	4	1	0	2	1	35	10	21	72·0	44·0	59·8	0·48	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Aug. 12, 1933,	2,505,600	861	340	528	76	40	492	10·2	0·1	59	198	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	42	12	39	79·0	42·0	59·3	0·20	...	
Aug. 20, 1932,	2,488,900	845	280	517	66	33	484	10·2	0·4	64	186	0	3	2	8	4	1	0	3	48	19	26	74·2	46·0	60·1	0·07	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 26th August 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 851 living children, the deaths of 513 persons, and 330 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 474. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·7 per thousand, the marriage-rate 6·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 9·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 1·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·3 less than in the previous week, but 0·2 above the average. The death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but 1·3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·0 in Greenock and 12·2 in Kilmarnock, to 2·8 in Falkirk, and 4·0 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (11·8), in Ayr (11·2), in Hamilton (10·8), in Edinburgh (10·4), in Glasgow (10·3), in Dundee (10·3) and in Paisley (10·0).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 12, and are 2 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·2 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 3 more, from diphtheria 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from whooping-cough number the same, while from cerebro-spinal fever they are 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 52, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 58, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 188. The former are 7 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 6 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 30, and are 9 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 58°·5, being 1°·3 below that for the previous week, but 3°·3 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·37 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	404	161	240	36	16	220	10·3	0·3	33	81	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	0	23	8	15	74·5	50·1	58·6	0·60	39·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	110	77	93	10	7	90	10·4	0·3	6	36	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	12	0	3	75·0	48·0	58·5	0·14	40·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	48	13	34	2	3	35	10·3	0·6	3	18	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	6	0	2	77·0	45·2	59·1	0·11	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	69	25	37	10	0	27	8·2	0·0	1	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	3	73·0	47·0	56·9	0·75	37·4	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	31	4	19	3	1	17	10·0	0·0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	74·8	50·0	59·5	0·41	47·6	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	37	3	23	1	4	26	17·0	0·0	4	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	73·0	50·0	58·4	0·48	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	27	8	1	0	4	5	4·0	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	9	3	1	0	3	4	4·3	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	17	3	4	0	0	4	4·7	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	19	1	6	0	0	6	7·2	1·2	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	14	3	8	1	2	9	12·2	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	11	8	6	1	3	8	10·8	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	14	6	11	3	0	8	11·2	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	15	3	11	10	1	2	2·8	0·0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	19	3	8	3	0	5	7·2	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16 PERTH, ...	35,300	7	9	11	3	0	8	11·8	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	77·0	42·0	58·4	0·13	33·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Aug. 26, 1933,	2,505,600	851	330	513	83	44	474	9·9	0·2	58	188	0	0	0	4	2	3	1	2	52	11	30	77·0	42·0	58·5	0·37	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Aug. 19, 1933,	2,505,600	846	347	501	74	28	455	9·5	0·2	51	182	1	0	1	4	1	0	2	1	35	10	21	72·0	44·0	59·8	0·48	...	
Aug. 27, 1932,	2,488,900	854	303	529	77	37	489	10·3	0·2	64	181	0	0	0	2	2	2	3	2	52	18	18	73·2	33·0	55·2	0·07	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 2nd September 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 839 living children, the deaths of 538 persons, and 414 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 503. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 1·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·7 more than in the previous week, and 0·8 above the average. The death-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but 0·6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 13·7 in Greenock and 12·2 in Hamilton, to 5·6 in Falkirk and 6·0 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Clydebank (11·8), in Dundee (11·2), in Glasgow (11·1), and in Paisley (10·6).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 15, and are 3 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, 1 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 1 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis, 1 to erysipelas, and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 more, from diphtheria 3 more, from other epidemic diseases 2 more, and from measles 1 more, but those from influenza are 2 fewer, and from whooping-cough 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 44, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 67, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 197. The former are 9 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 9 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 30, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 60°·2, being 1°·7 above that for the previous week, and 2°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·61 inch.

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TOWNS	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	376	195	256	27	8	237	11·1	0·4	31	92	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	3	21	9	18	68·2	55·1	62·0	1·11	29·1	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	143	95	87	13	6	80	9·2	0·1	10	38	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	7	2	2	72·0	48·0	60·4	0·24	36·5	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	61	19	38	2	2	38	11·2	0·6	12	14	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	3	1	72·3	49·2	61·4	0·24	...	3
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	57	25	41	8	1	34	10·4	0·3	2	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	1	3	68·0	44·0	58·0	0·23	22·2	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	21	9	18	1	1	18	10·6	0·0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	70·1	48·3	59·8	0·97	30·3	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	30	7	22	3	2	21	13·7	1·3	2	8	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	1	1	67·3	50·0	59·6	1·13	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	24	10	13	0	0	13	10·3	0·0	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	25	5	7	0	4	11	11·8	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	9	7	7	0	1	8	9·4	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	17	4	5	0	0	5	6·0	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	12	4	7	2	1	6	8·1	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	18	9	7	1	3	9	12·2	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	11	10	10	5	2	7	9·8	1·4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	16	5	7	3	0	4	5·6	0·0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	8	6	7	1	1	7	10·1	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	11	4	6	1	0	5	7·4	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73·0	46·0	60·1	0·33	37·1	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Sept. 2, 1933,	2,505,600	839	414	538	67	32	503	10·5	0·3	67	197	0	1	3	1	5	1	0	4	44	18	30	73·0	44·0	60·2	0·61	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Aug. 26, 1933,	2,505,600	851	330	513	83	44	474	9·9	0·2	58	188	0	0	0	4	2	3	1	2	52	11	30	77·0	42·0	58·5	0·37	...	
Sept. 3, 1932,	2,488,900	818	423	584	65	32	551	11·6	0·5	69	227	0	1	3	7	2	6	3	2	65	14	29	69·0	41·0	58·0	1·10	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 9th September 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 790 living children, the deaths of 620 persons, and 502 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 562. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 10·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·1 less than in the previous week, and 2·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·8 more than in the previous week, and 0·5 above the average. The death-rate is 1·2 more than in the previous week, and 1·1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·5 in Dundee and 13·3 in Edinburgh, to 2·4 in Coatbridge and 4·8 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Aberdeen (13·1), in Glasgow (12·1), in Paisley (11·8), and in Kirkcaldy (11·8).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 20, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, none from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis, 2 to acute poliomyelitis, 1 to erysipelas and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 2 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, from other epidemic diseases 2 more and from scarlet fever 1 more, but from diphtheria they number the same.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 57, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, and is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 78, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 219. The former are 11 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 22 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 59°·5, being 0°·7 below that for the previous week, but 4°·2 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·01 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	376	226	282	35	10	257	12·1	0·5	48	94	0	0	2	3	1	0	2	2	32	14	13	71·3	51·6	60·8	0·01	31·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	118	119	129	19	5	115	13·3	0·5	7	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0	6	73·0	50·0	58·6	0·01	20·8	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	70	20	57	4	3	56	16·5	0·6	10	25	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	6	2	7	71·6	46·0	58·8	0·00	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	49	45	56	16	3	43	13·1	0·3	4	20	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	1	2	67·0	40·0	57·2	0·00	35·0	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	22	11	20	3	3	20	11·8	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	73·6	48·8	60·9	0·00	26·5	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	30	13	10	0	1	11	7·2	1·3	1	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	72·2	51·8	60·4	0·00	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	24	6	6	0	0	6	4·8	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	14	2	6	2	5	9	9·6	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	13	7	9	0	1	10	11·8	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	16	6	1	0	1	2	2·4	0·0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	7	10	10	4	0	6	8·1	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	9	9	2	0	2	4	5·4	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	13	7	8	4	1	5	7·0	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	11	8	5	1	0	4	5·6	1·4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	7	7	7	1	2	8	11·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	11	6	12	6	0	6	8·9	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	74·0	44·0	60·1	0·02	20·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Sept. 9, 1933,	2,505,600	790	502	620	95	37	562	11·7	0·4	78	219	0	0	4	3	5	0	2	6	57	17	29	74·0	40·0	59·5	0·01	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Sept. 2, 1933,	2,505,600	839	414	538	67	32	503	10·5	0·3	67	197	0	1	3	1	5	1	0	4	44	18	30	73·0	44·0	60·2	0·61	...	
Sept. 10, 1932,	2,488,900	847	442	529	75	26	480	10·1	0·3	49	183	0	1	5	1	2	3	0	1	51	11	19	68·0	41·0	55·3	1·46	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 16th September 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 774 living children, the deaths of 576 persons, and 404 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 539. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·3 less than in the previous week, and 2·9 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·0 less than in the previous week, and 0·4 below the average. The death-rate is 0·5 less than in the previous week, but 0·1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·2 in Perth and 13·5 in Dundee, to 4·8 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 7·2 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Ayr (12·6), in Greenock (12·4), in Edinburgh (11·9), and in Glasgow (11·4).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 15, and are 5 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, none from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 2 more, from whooping-cough 1 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but from diphtheria they are 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 4 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 62, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, and is 0·1 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 77, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 197. The former are 1 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 22 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 40, and are 11 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 55°·2, being 4°·3 below that for the previous week, and 2°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·04 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 16, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	352	165	260	30	13	243	11·4	0·5	35	92	0	0	0	3	4	0	2	1	27	14	19	65·8	42·9	55·6	0·00	46·1	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	136	98	124	23	2	103	11·9	0·2	10	39	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	9	1	6	69·0	44·0	55·1	0·11	54·6	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	45	26	49	4	1	46	13·5	0·6	6	21	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	10	1	1	69·0	43·0	55·8	0·00	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	50	28	38	8	5	35	10·7	0·0	3	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	5	66·0	38·0	51·9	0·19	50·9	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	33	16	16	0	0	16	9·5	0·0	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	3	66·8	43·8	56·5	0·00	45·6	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	25	14	19	3	3	19	12·4	0 0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	66·0	44·1	55·9	0·00	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	16	4	4	0	2	6	4·8	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	17	1	5	0	4	9	9·6	0·0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	16	4	6	0	3	9	10·6	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	14	4	6	0	2	8	9·5	1·2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	17	9	6	2	4	8	10·8	0·0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	19	6	4	0	2	6	8·1	0·0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	14	8	12	3	0	9	12·6	0 0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	10	11	8	2	0	6	8·4	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	5	4	5	1	1	5	7·2	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	5	6	14	5	2	11	16·2	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	72·0	38·0	55·3	0·00	52·8	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Sept. 16, 1933,	2,505,600	774	404	576	81	44	539	11·2	0·3	77	197	0	0	0	4	4	2	3	2	62	23	40	72·0	38·0	55·2	0·04	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Sept. 9, 1933,	2,505,600	790	502	620	95	37	562	11·7	0·4	78	219	0	0	4	3	5	0	2	6	57	17	29	74·0	40·0	59·5	0·01	...	
Sept. 17, 1932,	2,488,900	865	400	572	88	34	518	10·9	0·4	76	197	1	0	3	5	1	5	0	4	66	22	27	79·0	38·0	58·1	0·38	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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No. 38. Week ending SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 23rd September 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 775 living children, the deaths of 526 persons, and 530 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 490. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·2.

The birth-rate of the week is the same as in the previous week, but 2·7 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·6 more than in the previous week, and 1·6 above the average. The death-rate is 1·0 less than in the previous week, and 0·8 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·2 in Kilmarnock and 12·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw, to 6·5 in Greenock and 7·2 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dundee (11·8), in Falkirk (11·2), in Edinburgh (10·8), and in Aberdeen (10·4).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 13, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, of which 1 was ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 more, but from influenza and other epidemic diseases they number the same, while from whooping-cough they are 1 fewer, and from diphtheria 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 55, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 55, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 192. The former are 22 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 5 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 18, and are 22 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 56°·3, being 1°·1 above that for the previous week, and 8°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·81 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	349	219	234	31	11	214	10·0	0·4	30	81	0	0	2	1	2	1	0	2	22	11	9	70·4	46·1	56·2	0·56	26·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	124	135	107	20	7	94	10·8	0·2	9	40	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	17	1	3	73·0	45·0	56·4	1·31	36·2	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	47	20	41	2	1	40	11·8	0·6	5	18	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	3	3	70·2	46·3	56·4	1·11	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	53	46	39	7	2	34	10·4	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	69·0	43·0	55·9	0·15	28·1	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	28	14	16	4	2	14	8·3	0·0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	71·2	44·2	56·3	0·81	28·7	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	23	11	11	1	0	10	6·5	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68·2	47·0	57·1	0·71	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	18	11	11	0	5	16	12·7	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	21	6	5	0	4	9	9·6	1·1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	17	4	6	0	2	8	9·4	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	20	6	7	0	1	8	9·5	0·0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	14	15	10	0	2	12	16·2	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	12	8	5	0	1	6	8·1	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	17	13	9	3	0	6	8·4	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	17	2	10	2	0	8	11·2	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	12	8	6	1	0	5	7·2	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	3	12	9	3	0	6	8·9	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	72·0	38·0	56·1	1·01	35·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Sept. 23, 1933,	2,505,600	775	530	526	74	38	490	10·2	0·3	55	192	0	0	3	3	3	2	0	2	55	18	18	73·0	38·0	56·3	0·81	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Sept. 16, 1933,	2,505,600	774	404	576	81	44	539	11·2	0·3	77	197	0	0	0	4	4	2	3	2	62	23	40	72·0	38·0	55·2	0·04	...	
Sept. 24, 1932,	2,488,900	832	517	545	57	25	513	10·8	0·4	59	183	2	0	2	2	4	2	4	1	44	22	35	63·0	30·0	48·2	0·21	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 30th September 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 709 living children, the deaths of 531 persons, and 570 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 492. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 14·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·9, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·3 less than in the previous week, and 4·2 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, and 1·3 above the average. The death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but 1·2 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 14·8 in Perth and 14·0 in Ayr, to 6·4 in Clydebank and 7·1 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kilmarnock (13·5), in Dundee (13·2), in Aberdeen (12·5), and in Greenock (12·4).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 9, and are 4 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·2 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 1 from scarlet fever, none from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, 1 of which was ascribed to dysentery and 1 to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 1 more, but those from diphtheria and from other epidemic diseases each number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 58, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·2 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 58, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 184. The former are 3 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 8 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 4 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 54°·7, being 1°·6 below that for the previous week, but 6°·7 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·22 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	318	283	231	33	13	211	9·9	0·2	31	66	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	29	10	8	62·8	45·6	55·1	0·08	13·0	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	107	90	91	12	1	80	9·2	0·1	4	38	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	7	1	5	62·0	48·0	54·4	0·46	5·4	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	65	36	47	5	3	45	13·2	0·0	4	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	3	66·0	41·7	54·5	0·38	...	3
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	45	49	45	4	0	41	12·5	0·3	2	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	3	67·0	38·0	53·6	0·56	25·0	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	24	19	18	2	1	17	10·0	0·0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	63·4	45·0	55·5	0·02	11·3	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	29	11	20	1	0	19	12·4	0 0	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	63·3	45·2	56·1	0·00	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	21	12	12	0	0	12	9·5	0·0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	13	10	3	0	3	6	6·4	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	9	9	5	0	1	6	7·1	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	12	7	5	0	2	7	8·3	1·2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	13	11	10	1	1	10	13·5	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	18	9	6	0	0	6	8·1	1·4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	11	5	11	4	3	10	14·0	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	11	9	10	4	0	6	8·4	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	7	3	6	1	1	6	8·7	0·0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	6	7	11	2	1	10	14·8	1·5	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	66·0	39·0	53·6	0·07	22·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Sept. 30, 1933,	2,505,600	709	570	531	69	30	492	10·2	0·2	58	184	0	0	1	0	3	3	0	2	58	17	22	67·0	38·0	54·7	0·22	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Sept. 23, 1933,	2,505,600	775	530	526	74	38	490	10·2	0·3	55	192	0	0	3	3	3	2	0	2	55	18	18	73·0	38·0	56·3	0·81	...	
Oct. 1, 1932,	2,488,900	872	567	526	60	31	497	10·4	0·3	56	190	0	0	3	3	3	1	5	0	63	13	18	63·0	29·0	48·0	0·52	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 7th October 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 818 living children, the deaths of 589 persons, and 545 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 555. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 11·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·5.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·2 more than in the previous week, but 2·6 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, but 1·3 above the average. The death-rate is 1·3 more than in the previous week, and is the same as the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·3 in Coatbridge and 17·7 in Perth, to 7·0 in Falkirk and 8·1 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (15·9), in Ayr (14·0), in Motherwell and Wishaw (12·7), in Kilmarnock (12·2), and in Glasgow (11·7).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 18, and are 9 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 3 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 3 more, from other epidemic diseases 2 more, from typhoid fever 1 more, from scarlet fever 1 more, and from diphtheria 1 more, but those from influenza are 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 70, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 72, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 206. The former are 14 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 22 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 20, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 52°·7, being 2°·0 below that for the previous week, but 4°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·72 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 7, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	369	236	273	36	13	250	11·7	0·4	37	74	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	4	33	20	7	61·3	37·2	51·7	0·57	11·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	153	97	109	17	5	97	11·2	0·1	12	45	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	12	1	2	63·0	38·0	52·4	0·71	18·6	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	62	78	39	2	2	39	11·5	0·3	3	17	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	3	66·4	40·0	53·1	1·36	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	69	37	39	3	0	36	11·0	0·0	7	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	65·0	38·0	52·6	0·82	11·1	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	19	13	17	5	2	14	8·3	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	65·3	34·0	53·2	0·48	15·2	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	30	13	15	1	1	15	9·8	0·7	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	61·1	38·2	53·2	0·37	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	24	10	13	0	3	16	12·7	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	8	2	4	0	5	9	9·6	1·1	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	12	12	6	0	3	9	10·6	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	11	7	17	1	1	17	20·3	1·2	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	7	4	11	2	0	9	12·2	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	15	1	6	1	1	6	8·1	1·4	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	13	8	11	2	1	10	14·0	1·4	4	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	9	5	6	2	1	5	7·0	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	9	9	11	1	1	11	15·9	1·4	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	8	13	12	0	0	12	17·7	1·5	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Oct. 7, 1933,	2,505,600	818	545	589	73	39	555	11·5	0·4	72	206	1	0	2	3	4	1	3	4	70	29	20	66·4	34·0	52·7	0·72	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Sept. 30, 1933,	2,505,600	709	570	531	69	30	492	10·2	0·2	58	184	0	0	1	0	3	3	0	2	58	17	22	67·0	38·0	54·7	0·22	...	
Oct. 8, 1932,	2,488,900	958	464	627	81	27	573	12·0	0·3	59	249	0	0	3	2	1	3	3	2	78	19	32	58·3	29·0	48·6	1·76	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 14th October 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 747 living children, the deaths of 620 persons, and 353 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 573. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 15·5 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·3, and the death-rate (corrected) 11·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·5 less than in the previous week, and 4·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 4·0 less than in the previous week, but 0·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·0 in Ayr and 15·3 in Kirkcaldy, to 8·6 in Clydebank and 8·7 in Motherwell and Wishaw. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (14·8), in Coatbridge (14·3), in Dundee (14·1), in Perth (13·3), and in Dunfermline (13·0).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 19, and are 1 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, none from whooping-cough, 6 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 from other epidemic diseases, all of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 3 more, from diphtheria 2 more, and from influenza 2 more, but those from other epidemic diseases numbered the same, while from cerebro-spinal fever they are 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 54, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and is 0·6 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 83, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 229. The former are 11 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 23 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 8 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 51°·5, being 1°·1 below that for the previous week, and 4°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·75 inch.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 14, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	335	161	280	37	8	251	11·8	0·3	45	84	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	3	28	26	13	59·8	43·8	51·8	0·69	15·1	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	130	89	123	24	1	100	11·5	0·3	9	50	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	6	60·0	42·0	51·6	0·18	23·5	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	48	17	50	3	1	48	14·1	0·9	6	23	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	7	1	1	60·3	37·2	49·9	0·57	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	55	32	36	3	1	34	10·4	0·3	2	15	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	59·0	37·0	49·9	0·83	17·3	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	25	6	27	4	2	25	14·8	0·6	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	63·1	43·3	52·7	0·81	15·8	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	26	9	16	0	1	17	11·1	0·7	6	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	69·0	43·9	53·2	1·38	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	23	7	9	0	2	11	8·7	0·0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	19	4	2	0	6	8	8·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	4	3	12	1	2	13	15·3	2·4	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	15	3	11	1	2	12	14·3	0·0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK.	38,600	11	3	8	3	2	7	9·5	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	14	4	7	1	1	7	9·5	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	14	6	12	2	5	15	21·0	1·4	2	8	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	13	1	9	3	1	7	9·8	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	9	4	7	0	2	9	13·0	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	6	4	11	2	0	9	13·3	0·0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	63·0	37·0	51·1	0·78	18·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Oct. 14, 1933,	2,505,600	747	353	620	84	37	573	11·9	0·4	83	229	0	0	5	0	6	3	1	4	54	36	28	69·0	37·0	51·5	0·75	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Oct. 7, 1933,	2,505,600	818	545	589	73	39	555	11·5	0·4	72	206	1	0	2	3	4	1	3	4	70	29	20	68·0	34·0	52·6	0·72	...	
Oct. 15, 1932,	2,488,900	864	294	605	71	39	573	12·0	0·3	68	231	0	1	5	1	3	4	0	2	70	12	26	59·0	32·0	47·4	1·30	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 21st October 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 864 living children, the deaths of 624 persons, and 241 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 589. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·5 more than in the previous week, but 1·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·3 less than in the previous week, and 0·8 below the average. The death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, and 0·2 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·8 in Ayr and 15·3 in Kirkcaldy, to 9·6 in Clydebank and 9·8 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Motherwell and Wishaw (15·0), in Aberdeen (14·6), in Coatbridge (14·3), in Paisley (14·2), in Hamilton (13·5), and in Edinburgh (12·6).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 16, and are 3 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·3 per thousand. They include 1 from typhoid fever, none from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, all of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 2 more and from typhoid fever 1 more, but those from influenza number the same, while from scarlet fever they are 1 fewer, and from other epidemic diseases 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 71, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 62, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 233. The former are 21 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 4 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 49°·1, being 2°·4 below that for the previous week, but 2°·4 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·46 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 21, 1933.

TOWNS	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	405	99	263	27	9	245	11·5	0·4	29	85	1	0	3	1	1	1	0	2	35	12	10	57·2	39·8	49·4	0·56	8·8	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	147	51	125	21	5	109	12·6	0·1	4	48	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	10	0	5	57·0	37·0	48·0	0·32	17·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	72	19	41	3	1	39	11·5	0·0	4	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	3	56·0	38·0	48·3	0·27	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	47	21	54	10	4	48	14·6	0·3	3	25	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	3	57·0	41·0	50·1	0·15	13·9	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	28	6	23	0	1	24	14·2	0·0	10	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	57·6	39·7	49·6	0·74	9·4	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	21	3	16	0	2	18	11·8	0·7	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	1	2	57·9	38·2	49·5	0·78	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	21	8	16	0	3	19	15·0	0·8	1	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	14	3	4	0	5	9	9·6	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	14	5	11	0	2	13	15·3	0·0	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	19	1	10	0	2	12	14·3	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	17	5	9	0	0	9	12·2	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	18	4	9	0	1	10	13·5	1·4	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	13	4	14	4	2	12	16·8	1·4	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	10	3	8	2	1	7	9·8	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	9	6	10	3	0	7	10·1	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	9	3	11	3	0	8	11·8	1·5	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	59·0	38·0	49·1	0·43	12·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Oct. 21, 1933,	2,505,600	864	241	624	73	38	589	12·3	0·3	62	233	1	0	4	2	3	3	0	3	71	26	28	59·0	37·0	49·1	0·46	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Oct. 14, 1933,	2,505,600	747	353	620	84	37	573	11·9	0·4	83	229	0	0	5	0	6	3	1	4	54	36	28	69·0	37·0	51·5	0·75	...	
Oct. 22, 1932,	2,488,900	838	243	612	79	21	554	11·6	0·3	72	232	0	0	2	3	2	4	2	1	85	18	25	56·0	31·0	46·7	1·91	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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No. 43. Week ending SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1933. Price 2d. net.

During the week ending 28th October 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 735 living children, the deaths of 602 persons, and 343 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 526. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 15·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 10·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 2·7 less than in the previous week, and 3·9 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·1 more than in the previous week, and 0·7 below the average. The death-rate is 1·4 less than in the previous week, and 1·4 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 16·5 in Kirkcaldy, 13·5 in Dundee and 13·5 in Kilmarnock, to 6·3 in Motherwell and Wishaw and 8·1 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Dunfermline (13·0), in Greenock (12·4), in Clydebank (11·8), in Perth (11·8), in Edinburgh (11·7), and in Ayr (11·2).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 21, and are 5 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include 2 from typhoid fever, none from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 from other epidemic diseases, both of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 2 more, from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, from typhoid fever 1 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from whooping-cough and from influenza each number the same, while from other epidemic diseases they are 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 89, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, and is 0·2 above the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 66, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 232. The former are 4 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 1 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 22, and are 6 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 46°·0, being 3°·1 below that for the previous week, but 3°·9 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·13 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 28, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	351	155	257	42	9	224	10·5	0·6	37	89	1	0	2	1	3	1	2	2	44	10	8	55·3	34·1	46·7	0·58	19·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	111	60	123	23	1	101	11·7	0·2	6	47	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	9	0	6	56·0	33·0	44·7	1·02	12·3	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	47	20	47	2	1	46	13·5	0·0	4	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	4	56·7	34·0	45·4	1·39	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	52	20	38	9	1	30	9·2	0·3	3	14	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	2	56·0	33·0	45·0	2·76	10·5	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	18	10	16	1	2	17	10·0	0·0	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	55·6	34·2	46·6	0·47	17·7	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	19	12	21	2	0	19	12·4	1·3	1	8	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	56·0	35·2	47·5	0·40	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	20	7	7	0	1	8	6·3	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	11	4	10	0	1	11	11·8	0·0	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	15	5	12	0	2	14	16·5	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	17	6	8	0	0	8	9·5	0·0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	10	9	10	2	2	10	13·5	2·7	1	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	21	8	6	0	0	6	8·1	1·4	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	18	6	15	7	0	8	11·2	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	6	3	9	2	0	7	9·8	1·4	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	13	8	11	2	0	9	13·0	0·0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	6	10	12	4	0	8	11·8	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	57·0	35·0	46·4	1·29	17·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Oct. 28, 1933,	2,505,600	735	343	602	96	20	526	10·9	0·4	66	232	2	0	5	2	5	3	2	2	89	14	22	57·0	33·0	46·0	1·13	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Oct. 21, 1933,	2,505,600	864	241	624	73	38	589	12·3	0·3	62	233	1	0	4	2	3	3	0	3	71	26	28	59·0	37·0	49·1	0·46	...	
Oct. 29, 1932,	2,488,900	787	322	591	75	24	540	11·3	0·5	71	206	0	0	2	2	4	6	4	5	72	15	27	54·1	27·0	42·1	1·39	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 4th November 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 758 living children, the deaths of 637 persons, and 431 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 589. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 15·8 per thousand, the marriage-rate 9·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·3.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 more than in the previous week, but 3·0 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·9 more than in the previous week, and 0·4 above the average. The death-rate is 1·4 more than in the previous week, but 0·3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 18·8 in Kirkcaldy and 14·4 in Greenock, to 5·4 in Kilmarnock and 7·2 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Hamilton (13·5), in Glasgow (13·0), in Edinburgh (12·9), in Ayr (12·6) and in Falkirk (12·6).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 28, and are 7 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include 2 from typhoid fever, none from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 1 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 12 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 4 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 9 more, and from other epidemic diseases 4 more, but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 1 fewer, from cerebro-spinal fever 1 fewer, and from scarlet fever 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 61, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·6 less than in the previous week, and is 0·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 66, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 230. The former are the same as in the previous week, and the latter are 2 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 43°·7, being 2°·3 below that for the previous week, and 1°·8 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·39 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 4, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	361	243	289	19	8	278	13·0	0·8	42	98	2	0	1	1	3	6	1	3	29	12	16	51·2	38·9	44·9	0·18	18·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	97	69	128	18	2	112	12·9	0·3	6	52	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	9	0	2	50·0	37·0	42·9	0·10	15·1	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	55	19	37	6	3	34	10·0	0·0	3	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	50·0	35·0	42·5	0·38	...	3
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	52	31	40	9	4	35	10·7	0·0	2	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	51·0	37·0	42·2	0·97	21·6	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	28	7	19	1	2	20	11·8	0·0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	51·4	37·8	44·8	0·38	18·9	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	28	9	26	4	0	22	14·4	1·3	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	54·0	37·0	45·3	0·57	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	26	3	13	0	0	13	10·3	0·8	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	21	7	7	0	0	7	7·5	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	8	6	16	1	1	16	18·8	1·2	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	17	1	6	0	0	6	7·2	1·2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	13	4	5	1	0	4	5·4	0·0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	11	5	9	0	1	10	13·5	2·7	2	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	9	4	14	5	0	9	12·6	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	12	12	12	4	1	9	12·6	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	10	4	7	1	1	7	10·1	1·4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	10	7	9	2	0	7	10·3	0·0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53·0	34·0	43·3	0·12	22·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Nov. 4, 1933,	2,505,600	758	431	637	71	23	589	12·3	0·6	66	230	2	0	2	1	4	12	1	6	61	14	21	54·0	34·0	43·7	0·39	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Oct. 28, 1933,	2,505,600	735	343	602	96	20	526	10·9	0·4	66	232	2	0	5	2	5	3	2	2	89	14	22	57·0	33·0	46·0	1·13	...	
Nov. 5, 1932,	2,488,900	901	444	638	78	31	591	12·4	0·5	65	240	1	0	4	2	7	5	0	4	78	10	29	57·0	31·0	45·5	0·75	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 11th November 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 773 living children, the deaths of 689 persons, and 280 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 633. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·8, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·2.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 3·2 less than in the previous week, and 0·8 below the average. The death-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, and 0·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·7 in Perth and 15·8 in Motherwell and Wishaw, to 8·7 in Dunfermline and 9·5 in Hamilton. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Paisley (15·4), in Clydebank (15·0), in Greenock (14·4), in Ayr (14·0), in Edinburgh (13·5), and in Kilmarnock (13·5).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 26, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 7 from scarlet fever, none from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 9 from influenza, 3 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 5 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 5 more and from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, but those from other epidemic diseases are 1 fewer, from diphtheria 2 fewer, and from influenza, 3 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 92, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·6 more than in the previous week, but is 0·3 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 69, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 255. The former are 3 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 25 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are the same as in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 46°·3, being 2°·6 above that for the previous week, and 7°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·25 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 11, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	383	136	299	24	6	281	13·2	0·7	38	105	0	0	3	0	0	7	1	4	44	12	9	56·3	31·8	46·2	0·24	6·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	129	56	136	24	5	117	13·5	0·3	6	55	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	19	1	6	58·0	36·0	46·2	0·14	15·4	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	39	15	41	5	3	39	11·5	0·6	6	14	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	59·7	33·0	45·2	0·16	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	50	24	48	6	0	42	12·8	0·0	5	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	58·0	36·0	47·1	0·34	15·8	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	24	8	32	6	0	26	15·4	1·8	3	8	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	1	1	59·7	29·4	46·7	0·30	7·1	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	23	6	24	2	0	22	14·4	1·3	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	54·3	34·1	46·5	0·53	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	20	4	19	0	1	20	15·8	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	13	2	10	0	4	14	15·0	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	13	1	10	1	1	10	11·8	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	14	7	8	0	1	9	10·7	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	17	2	11	1	0	10	13·5	1·4	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	13	6	7	0	0	7	9·5	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	8	0	11	1	0	10	14·0	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	11	4	8	0	0	8	11·2	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	7	4	9	3	0	6	8·7	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	9	5	16	4	0	12	17·7	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	64·0	26·0	45·9	0·03	16·7	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Nov. 11, 1933,	2,505,600	773	280	689	77	21	633	13·2	0·5	69	255	0	0	7	0	2	9	3	5	92	15	21	64·0	26·0	46·3	0·25	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Nov. 4, 1933,	2,505,600	758	431	637	71	23	589	12·3	0·6	66	230	2	0	2	1	4	12	1	6	61	14	21	54·0	34·0	43·7	0·39	...	
Nov. 12, 1932,	2,488,900	832	286	715	83	21	653	13·7	0·5	87	263	0	0	5	9	4	2	1	1	105	10	32	51·0	24·0	39·2	0·04	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 18th November 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 823 living children, the deaths of 680 persons, and 227 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 629. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 4·7, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·1.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 more than in the previous week, but 1·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·1 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average. The death-rate is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and 0·3 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 17·9 in Coatbridge and 16·2 in Hamilton, to 9·6 in Clydebank and 9·8 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (14·8), in Glasgow (14·3), in Kirkcaldy (14·1), and in Kilmarnock (13·5).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 30, and are 4 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 9 from scarlet fever, none from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 10 from influenza, 1 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 3 were ascribed to erysipelas and 3 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from scarlet fever are 2 more and from diphtheria 2 more, from influenza 1 more, and from other epidemic diseases 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever are 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 81, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·7 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and is 0·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 67, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 234. The former are 2 fewer than in the previous week, and the latter are 21 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 19, and are 2 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·1, being 6°·2 below that for the previous week, and 1°·9 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 1·14 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Temperature. Minimum.	Temperature. Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	388	93	339	39	4	304	14·3	0·7	33	98	0	0	5	0	3	4	1	2	46	11	7	47·0	32·8	40·3	0·79	5·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	123	49	116	10	2	108	12·5	0·6	9	51	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	1	12	0	6	47·0	34·0	40·4	1·03	11·4	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	42	5	36	3	3	36	10·6	0·3	3	15	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	47·0	27·0	39·0	1·02	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	45	24	50	14	1	37	11·3	0·3	4	17	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	48·0	27·0	41·0	0·83	12·3	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	37	10	16	1	2	17	10·0	0·6	1	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	48·9	32·3	40·4	1·16	4·1	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	31	9	19	0	0	19	12·4	0·7	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	47·9	35·0	41·4	1·84	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	22	6	14	0	1	15	11·9	0·8	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	16	3	4	0	5	9	9·6	0·0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	15	2	12	1	1	12	14·1	1·2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	26	1	11	0	4	15	17·9	1·2	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	7	6	9	2	3	10	13·5	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	17	4	9	0	3	12	16·2	0·0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	11	4	11	3	1	9	12·6	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	13	2	10	3	0	7	9·8	0·0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	15	2	13	4	0	9	13·0	2·9	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	15	7	11	1	0	10	14·8	1·5	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	55·0	25·0	37·9	1·31	6·5	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Nov. 18, 1933,	2,505,600	823	227	680	81	30	629	13·1	0·6	67	234	0	0	9	0	4	10	1	6	81	14	19	55·0	25·0	40·1	1·14	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Nov. 11, 1933,	2,505,600	773	280	689	77	21	633	13·2	0·5	69	255	0	0	7	0	2	9	3	5	92	15	21	64·0	26·0	46·3	0·25	...	
Nov. 19, 1932,	2,488,900	822	257	745	84	35	696	14·6	0·3	77	293	0	0	0	3	1	10	2	0	110	9	27	49·4	29·0	42·0	0·19	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 25th November 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 846 living children, the deaths of 679 persons, and 270 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 620. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 17·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·6, and the death-rate (corrected) 12·9.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·5 more than in the previous week, but 1·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, but 0·2 below the average. The death-rate is 0·2 less than in the previous week, and 1·0 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 19·6 in Ayr and 17·7 in Greenock, to 4·3 in Clydebank and 5·6 in Falkirk. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Motherwell and Wishaw (16·6), in Paisley (15·9), in Perth (14·8), in Dunfermline (14·5), in Edinburgh (13 6), and in Hamilton (13·5).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 17, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·4 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, all of which were ascribed to erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 3 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 1 more, but those from diphtheria are 1 fewer, from other epidemic diseases 3 fewer, from scarlet fever 4 fewer, and from influenza 9 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 93, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·2 more than in the previous week, but is 0·8 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 69, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 265. The former are 2 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 31 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 18, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 42°·2, being 2°·1 above that for the previous week, and 1°·1 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·53 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	416	104	295	36	8	267	12·5	0·5	37	92	0	0	2	2	2	1	2	1	45	4	7	52·0	30·7	41·3	0·63	3·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	115	68	138	23	3	118	13·6	0·0	2	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	4	55·0	34·0	42·6	0·20	10·8	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	48	18	44	5	2	41	12·0	0·0	6	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	51·0	31·5	42·1	0·42	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	58	19	50	9	1	42	12·8	0·0	5	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	2	50·0	32·0	44·3	0·61	7·8	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	34	8	26	1	2	27	15·9	1·8	2	14	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	1	52·0	28·7	42·2	0·63	6·9	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	29	8	28	1	0	27	17·7	0·0	3	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	52·0	32·2	42·8	0·66	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	25	5	17	0	4	21	16·6	0·8	7	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	18	3	2	0	2	4	4·3	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	13	2	9	0	0	9	10·6	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	19	2	6	0	2	8	9·5	1·2	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	13	2	11	4	1	8	10·8	0·0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	19	5	8	0	2	10	13·5	0·0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	8	6	19	8	3	14	19·6	1·4	2	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	12	6	6	2	0	4	5·6	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	13	7	9	0	1	10	14·5	1·4	1	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	6	7	11	1	0	10	14·8	0·0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	52·0	24·0	40·0	0·59	7·0	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Nov. 25, 1933,	2,505,600	846	270	679	90	31	620	12·9	0·4	69	265	0	0	5	3	3	1	2	3	93	7	18	55·0	24·0	42·2	0·53	...	Total
Nov. 18, 1933,	2,505,600	823	227	680	81	30	629	13·1	0·6	67	234	0	0	9	0	4	10	1	6	81	14	19	55·0	25·0	40·1	1·14	...	16
Nov. 26, 1932,	2,488,900	792	260	721	73	36	684	14·4	0·5	87	258	0	0	2	9	2	9	1	3	122	6	34	54·0	26·0	41·1	1·37	...	Towns.

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 2nd December 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 797 living children, the deaths of 715 persons, and 355 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 664. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 16·6 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·4, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·8.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·0 less than in the previous week, and 2·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·8 more than in the previous week, and 1·1 above the average. The death-rate is 0·9 more than in the previous week, and 0·4 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 21·7 in Dunfermline and 21·5 in Coatbridge, to 7·3 in Aberdeen and 10·0 in Paisley. Relatively high-death rates occurred in Falkirk (16·8), in Kilmarnock (16·2), in Perth (16·2), in Hamilton (14·9), in Glasgow (14·7), in Edinburgh (14·1), in Kirkcaldy (14·1), and in Ayr (14·0).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 35, and are 18 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 10 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, 7 from influenza, none from cerebro-spinal fever, and 8 from other epidemic diseases, of which 7 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to acute poliomyelitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 6 more, from scarlet fever 5 more, from diphtheria 5 more, and from other epidemic diseases 5 more, but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 92, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 1·9 per thousand. This death-rate is the same as in the previous week, but is 0·6 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 62, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 275. The former are 7 fewer than in the previous week, but the latter are 10 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 24, and are 6 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 37°·4, being 4°·8 below that for the previous week, and 4°·0 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·24 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	376	124	347	37	4	314	14·7	0·7	31	120	0	0	2	1	3	2	0	6	42	4	12	44·3	26·1	36·3	0·00	0·2	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	128	77	136	18	4	122	14·1	0·6	6	69	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	16	0	3	44·0	31·0	36·9	0·00	4·8	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	42	29	40	1	3	42	12·3	0·9	3	16	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	10	0	3	46·7	30·0	38·2	0·57	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	58	34	29	5	0	24	7·3	0·6	5	7	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	47·0	34·0	42·3	0·90	2·5	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	36	9	20	3	0	17	10·0	1·2	1	7	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	44·6	22·3	35·8	0·01	0·2	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	27	14	15	0	2	17	11·1	0·7	1	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	44·0	29·0	37·0	0·02	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	30	7	13	0	2	15	11·9	0·0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	10	2	7	0	5	12	12·8	0·0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	11	11	10	0	2	12	14·1	1·2	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	17	5	18	1	1	18	21·5	2·4	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	12	7	11	1	2	12	16·2	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	15	4	8	1	4	11	14·9	1·4	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	10	5	18	8	0	10	14·0	4·2	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	13	8	12	0	0	12	16·8	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	5	10	17	2	0	15	21·7	1·4	1	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	7	9	14	3	0	11	16·2	0·0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	45·0	24·0	35·0	0·21	3·3	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Dec. 2, 1933,	2,505,600	797	355	715	80	29	664	13·8	0·7	62	275	0	0	10	2	8	7	0	8	92	6	24	47·0	22·3	37·4	0·24	...	Total 16 Towns.
Nov. 25, 1933,	2,505,600	846	270	679	90	31	620	12·9	0·4	69	265	0	0	5	3	3	1	2	3	93	7	18	55·0	24·0	42·2	0·53	...	
Dec. 3, 1932,	2,488,900	853	315	703	92	22	633	13·3	0·9	100	234	0	0	5	10	7	12	3	4	124	11	28	52·0	31·0	41·4	1·69	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, [illegible]

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During the week ending 9th December 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 863 living children, the deaths of 697 persons, and 336 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 642. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·0 per thousand, the marriage-rate 7·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 13·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 1·4 more than in the previous week, but 0·3 below the average. The marriage-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and 0·1 below the average. The death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and 1·5 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 25·7 in Hamilton and 19·1 in Coatbridge, to 9·6 in Clydebank and 10·6 in Kirkcaldy. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Perth (17·7), in Greenock (15·0), in Edinburgh (13·7), and in Glasgow (13·6).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 22, and are 13 fewer than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·5 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 5 from scarlet fever, 1 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 9 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 3 from other epidemic diseases, of which 2 were ascribed to lethargic encephalitis and 1 to dysentery. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from influenza are 2 more, and from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, but those from whooping-cough are 1 fewer, from scarlet fever 5 fewer, from other epidemic diseases 5 fewer, and from diphtheria 6 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 112, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 2·3 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but is 0·7 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 73, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 279. The former are 11 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 4 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 29, and are 5 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 39°·2, being 1°·8 above that for the previous week, and 3°·0 above that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·15 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW,	1,111,600	417	130	320	38	8	290	13·6	0·4	34	117	0	0	3	1	1	3	0	1	60	3	13	44·0	33·8	39·0	0·00	0·4	1.
2. EDINBURGH,	451,900	116	73	132	18	5	119	13·7	0·6	9	59	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	2	20	0	4	43·0	35·0	38·4	0·52	0·4	2.
3. DUNDEE,	177,500	64	24	45	6	2	41	12·0	1·2	4	17	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	10	0	3	46·0	35·0	39·7	0·17	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN,	170,900	52	38	41	7	1	35	10·7	0·3	6	13	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	2	46·0	35·0	39·9	0·19	0·8	4.
5. PAISLEY,	88,300	24	4	24	4	1	21	12·4	0·0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	45·4	31·8	39·1	0·02	0·6	5.
6. GREENOCK,	79,700	27	9	22	0	1	23	15·0	0·0	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	45·0	36·2	39·9	0·00	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW,	65,900	21	6	11	0	3	14	11·1	0·0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK,	48,700	20	4	5	0	4	9	9·6	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY,	44,400	14	4	10	1	0	9	10·6	0·0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE,	43,700	19	3	11	0	5	16	19·1	1·2	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK,	38,600	13	10	11	2	0	9	12·2	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON,	38,500	31	4	18	1	2	19	25·7	0·0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR,	37,200	15	2	10	3	1	8	11·2	1·4	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK,	37,300	13	4	11	2	0	9	12·6	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE,	36,100	11	7	10	2	0	8	11·6	1·4	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH,	35,300	6	14	16	5	1	12	17·7	0·0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	45·0	33·0	38·1	0·13	0·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Dec. 9, 1933,	2,505,600	863	336	697	89	34	642	13·4	0·5	73	279	0	0	5	1	2	9	2	3	112	6	29	46·0	31·8	39·2	0·15	...	Total
Dec. 2, 1933,	2,505,600	797	355	715	80	29	664	13·8	0·7	62	275	0	0	10	2	8	7	0	8	92	6	24	47·0	22·3	37·4	0·24	...	16
Dec. 10, 1932,	2,488,900	813	304	765	59	33	739	15·5	0·8	90	290	1	0	3	12	6	12	3	3	150	6	27	44·2	20·0	36·2	0·13	...	Towns.

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, smallpox, dysentery, erysipelas, acute poliomyelitis and lethargic encephalitis.

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During the week ending 16th December 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 870 living children, the deaths of 815 persons, and 249 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 755. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·1 per thousand, the marriage-rate 5·2, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·7.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·1 more than in the previous week, but 1·1 below the average. The marriage-rate is 1·8 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average. The death-rate is 2·3 more than in the previous week, and 1·1 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 20·3 in Hamilton and 20·2 in Dunfermline, to 5·9 in Perth and 10·7 in Coatbridge. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Greenock (18·3), in Paisley (17·7), in Edinburgh (16·6), in Glasgow (16·4), and in Clydebank (16·1).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 29, and are 7 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 6 from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 9 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 1 from erysipelas. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from whooping-cough are 6 more, from diphtheria 2 more, and from scarlet fever 1 more, but those from influenza and from cerebro-spinal fever each number the same, while from other epidemic diseases they are 2 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 150, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·8 more than in the previous week, but is 0·1 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 79, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 298. The former are 6 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 19 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 21, and are 8 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 35°·6, being 3°·6 below that for the previous week, and 8°·3 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·21 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 16, 1933.

TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	427	109	373	35	12	350	16·4	0·9	34	131	0	0	3	4	4	6	1	1	79	7	12	40·8	22·8	34·7	0·22	4·7	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	137	47	164	23	3	144	16·6	0·2	17	68	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	22	2	2	43·0	30·0	36·1	0·08	7·0	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	44	12	55	5	2	52	15·3	0·6	7	18	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	8	0	1	41·0	28·2	35·1	0·15	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	59	33	48	10	1	39	11·9	0·3	3	16	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	2	44·0	29·0	37·6	0·42	9·6	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	36	4	32	2	0	30	17·7	0·6	3	9	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	43·0	24·2	35·9	0·16	9·4	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	24	3	26	1	3	28	18·3	0·0	8	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	1	42·3	30·2	36·9	0·26	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	22	4	17	1	2	18	14·3	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	18	3	13	1	3	15	16·1	1·1	0	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	12	7	8	0	2	10	11·8	1·2	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	18	3	8	0	1	9	10·7	0·0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	16	6	12	3	1	10	13·5	1·4	1	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	21	3	14	1	2	15	20·3	1·4	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	6	3	13	6	1	8	11·2	0·0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	13	4	13	4	0	9	12·6	0·0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	10	3	14	2	2	14	20·2	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	7	5	5	3	2	4	5·9	0·0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41·0	24·0	32·6	0·20	12·2	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Dec. 16, 1933,	2,505,600	870	249	815	97	37	755	15·7	0·6	79	298	0	0	6	7	4	9	2	1	150	11	21	44·0	22·8	35·6	0·21	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Dec. 9, 1933,	2,505,600	863	336	697	89	34	642	13·4	0·5	73	279	0	0	5	1	2	9	2	3	112	6	29	46·0	31·8	39·2	0·15	...	
Dec. 17, 1932,	2,488,900	839	259	845	74	26	797	16·7	1·4	124	284	1	1	3	19	4	32	7	2	220	7	27	58·0	33·0	43·9	2·47	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

* Including typhus fever, enteric fever, puerperal fever, puerperal pyrexia, erysipelas, cerebro-spinal fever, acute poliomyelitis, acute encephalitis, malaria, dysentery, ophthalmia neonatorum, pneumonia, influenza, acute rheumatism, acute endocarditis, acute pleurisy, acute meningitis, acute nephritis, puerperal septicæmia, and other septic diseases.

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During the week ending 23rd December 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 885 living children, the deaths of 839 persons, and 389 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 789. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·4 per thousand, the marriage-rate 8·1, and the death-rate (corrected) 16·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·3 more than in the previous week, but 0·4 below the average. The marriage-rate is 2·9 more than in the previous week, and 1·3 above the average. The death-rate is 0·7 more than in the previous week, and 0·3 above the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 22·2 in Perth and 20·9 in Falkirk, to 8·4 in Ayr and 8·7 in Dunfermline. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Glasgow (18·6), and in Dundee (16·5), while in Edinburgh the rate was (16·2), and in Aberdeen (13·4).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 29, and are the same as in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·6 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 8 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 1 from diphtheria, 10 from influenza, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 from other epidemic diseases, of which 4 were ascribed to erysipelas and 2 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from other epidemic diseases are 5 more, from scarlet fever 2 more, and from influenza 1 more, but those from cerebro-spinal fever number the same, while from diphtheria they are 3 fewer, and from whooping-cough 5 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 169, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·5 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 more than in the previous week, but is 0·2 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 84, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 329. The former are 5 more than in the previous week, and the latter are 31 more.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 28, and are 7 more than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 41°·0, being 5°·4 above that for the previous week, but 5°·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·05 inch.

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TOWNS.	Population Estimated to middle of 1933.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths. Number Registered.	Deaths. Transferred Out.	Deaths. Transferred In.	Deaths. Net Number.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From All Causes.	Death-Rate per 1000 living. From Principal Epidemic Diseases.	Deaths of Infants under One Year of Age.	Deaths of Persons aged 65 Years and upwards.	Deaths from Principal Epidemic Diseases. Typhoid and Para-typhoid Fevers.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	*Other Epidemic Diseases.	All Respiratory Diseases (not Tubercular).	Diarrhœa (under 2 years of age).	Violence.	Temperature. Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Rainfall in Inches.	Hours of Bright Sunshine.	No.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)
1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	424	167	422	37	11	396	18·6	0·6	47	160	0	0	2	1	0	7	1	1	100	3	9	48·2	33·1	41·4	0·05	1·6	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	130	80	148	10	2	140	16·2	0·9	11	59	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	3	27	0	4	50·0	26·0	41·6	0·03	15·7	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	70	26	53	3	6	56	16·5	0·0	9	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	2	2	48·2	27·4	39·3	0·04	...	3.
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	59	38	54	10	0	44	13·4	0·3	6	22	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	7	1	3	50·0	30·0	40·0	0·01	21·6	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	22	8	21	1	1	21	12·4	0·6	1	7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	50·0	32·2	42·3	0·02	5·2	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	39	13	20	0	1	21	13·7	0·7	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	50·0	35·4	43·5	0·15	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	29	13	9	0	3	12	9·5	0·0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	19	3	11	0	4	15	16·1	0·0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	8	3	8	0	1	9	10·6	1·2	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	9.
10. COATBRIDGE, . .	43,700	18	2	14	1	0	13	15·5	2·4	1	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	10.
11. KILMARNOCK, . . .	38,600	11	3	11	2	0	9	12·2	1·4	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	...	...	...	...	...	11.
12. HAMILTON, ...	38,500	24	7	11	1	1	11	14·9	0·0	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	12.
13. AYR, ...	37,200	7	10	10	4	0	6	8·4	1·4	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	13.
14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	6	3	17	2	0	15	20·9	0·0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	7	8	12	6	0	6	8·7	1·4	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16. PERTH, ...	35,300	12	5	18	5	2	15	22·2	0·0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50·0	24·0	38·8	0·03	5·5	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Dec. 23, 1933,	2,505,600	885	389	839	82	32	789	16·4	0·6	84	329	0	0	8	2	1	10	2	6	169	6	28	50·0	24·0	41·0	0·05	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
Dec. 16, 1933,	2,505,600	870	249	815	97	37	755	15·7	0·6	79	298	0	0	6	7	4	9	2	1	150	11	21	44·0	22·8	35·6	0·21	...	
Dec. 24, 1932,	2,488,900	882	362	1042	76	38	1004	21·1	3·0	151	366	1	0	3	19	5	112	2	1	291	16	31	56·0	37·0	46·1	2·05	...	

Note:—Death Numbers (except those in Col. 5) and rates are corrected by the deduction of deaths of Non-Residents domiciled in Scotland, and by the addition of deaths of Residents reported from elsewhere in Scotland during the week.

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During the week ending 30th December 1933 there were registered in the Sixteen Principal Towns of Scotland, which collectively have an estimated aggregate population of 2,505,600, the births of 879 living children, the deaths of 804 persons, and 866 marriages. The weekly number of deaths corrected by the exclusion of those of non-residents and by the inclusion of those of residents dying elsewhere in Scotland is 742. The equivalent annual birth-rate is 18·3 per thousand, the marriage-rate 18·0, and the death-rate (corrected) 15·4.

The birth-rate of the week is 0·1 less than in the previous week, and 0·5 below the average. The marriage-rate is 9·9 more than in the previous week, and 0·5 above the average. The death-rate is 1·0 less than in the previous week, and 0·6 below the average.

The weekly death-rates in the individual towns varied from 28·1 in Ayr, and 17·0 in Dundee, to 6·8 in Kilmarnock, and 10·7 in Clydebank. Relatively high death-rates occurred in Kirkcaldy (16·5), in Hamilton (16·2), in Glasgow (16·0), in Edinburgh (15·9), in Greenock (15·7), and in Coatbridge (15·5).

Deaths from the principal epidemic diseases, those named in columns 13 to 20 of the Table, numbered 35, and are 6 more than in the previous week. These deaths equal an annual death-rate from these causes of 0·7 per thousand. They include none from typhoid fever, none from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 10 from influenza, 4 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 9 from other epidemic diseases, of which 8 were ascribed to erysipelas and 1 to lethargic encephalitis. Compared with the number in the previous week, deaths from diphtheria are 4 more, from other epidemic diseases 3 more, from whooping-cough 2 more and from cerebro-spinal fever 2 more, but those from influenza numbered the same, while from scarlet fever they are 5 fewer.

Deaths from respiratory diseases numbered 151, and equalled an annual death-rate from these causes of 3·1 per thousand. This death-rate is 0·4 less than in the previous week, and is 0·5 below the average.

Deaths of children of less than one year old numbered 102, and those of persons of sixty-five and upwards 312. The former are 18 more than in the previous week, but the latter are 17 fewer.

Deaths attributed to violent causes numbered 27, and are 1 fewer than in the previous week.

The mean temperature for seven of the towns named in the Table was 40°·1, being 0°·9 below that for the previous week, and 3°·1 below that for the corresponding week of last year. The mean rainfall was 0·49 inch.

NOTE.—The averages used for comparison are the means of the same rates in the corresponding weeks of the five preceding years.

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1. GLASGOW, ...	1,111,600	387	406	370	39	10	341	16·0	0·4	50	137	0	0	0	1	3	3	1	1	78	5	13	47·8	32·8	40·9	0·25	0·5	1.
2. EDINBURGH, . . .	451,900	137	150	162	27	3	138	15·9	0·6	13	69	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	31	1	7	47·0	32·0	39·9	0·12	5·9	2.
3. DUNDEE, ...	177,500	79	40	60	3	1	58	17·0	0·6	12	27	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	12	1	2	46·0	33·4	39·4	0·47	...	3
4. ABERDEEN, ...	170,900	65	50	48	7	1	42	12·8	0·6	6	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	2	1	45·0	31·0	39·2	0·99	4·8	4.
5. PAISLEY, ...	88,300	31	32	26	2	1	25	14·8	2·4	3	8	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	5	0	0	48·7	31·3	40·9	0·28	1·9	5.
6. GREENOCK, ...	79,700	25	31	24	1	1	24	15·7	1·3	3	9	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	49·1	33·2	41·4	0·76	...	6.
7. MOTHERWELL AND WISHAW, ...	65,900	15	29	12	0	2	14	11·1	2·4	2	4	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	7.
8. CLYDEBANK, . . .	48,700	14	30	8	0	2	10	10·7	0·0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	8.
9. KIRKCALDY, . . .	44,400	15	12	14	1	1	14	16·5	0·0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	9.
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14. FALKIRK, ...	37,300	15	13	7	0	1	8	11·2	2·8	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	14.
15. DUNFERMLINE, . .	36,100	10	9	13	3	0	10	14·5	1·4	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	15.
16 PERTH, ...	35,300	15	13	10	2	0	8	11·8	1·5	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	47·0	34·0	39·2	0·57	0·6	16.
Total, 16 Towns, week ending, Dec. 30, 1933,	2,505,600	879	866	804	90	28	742	15·4	0·7	102	312	0	0	3	4	5	10	4	9	151	9	27	49·1	31·0	40·1	0·49	...	**Total 16 Towns.**
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Dec. 31, 1932,	2,488,900	951	840	1035	83	32	984	20·7	3·2	127	342	0	0	4	16	8	120	4	1	274	12	40	52·0	24·0	43·2	0·28	...	

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